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CROWDS JOIN IN CELEBRATIONS

Parade Marches from Market Square to Copeland Park; Fireworks Is a Feature

MANY GO TO MYRICK PARK

Program of St. Mary's Church Opens with Selection by Norden Band; Games Interesting

There were floats afloat in the big parade to the North side this morning, and the beauty and the beauties of the procession were drenched in a downpour that struck as the long line was making its way over the causeway. It was a bedraggled looking line of sopping vehicles with soaking drivers and women with curls and tatum in solution that scattered for home. A brisk, gusty wind added to the unpleasantness of the experience.

But the North side declined to let its enthusiasm be quenched, taking the advice of Rodgers Williams to, "Trust in God, and keep your powder dry." It is understood that the oratory and fireworks escaped damage.

The Fourth of July is being thoroughly observed in La Crosse today. With the opening of the parade this morning, thousands of people flocked to Copeland park while an equally large number boarded street cars for Myrick park, where under the auspices of the St. Mary's church, the day is being also celebrated.

Headed by a band, the parade of the North Side Progressive league marched through the streets of the south side. The parade formed at the market square at 9 o'clock this morning. Numerous floats, representing the various business firms, manufacturers and jobbers of La Crosse, formed in line, while music was furnished by three bands that have been engaged by the committee. A large number of automobiles formed in the line of parade. The line of march was as follows:

Form at market square; to Pearl on Fourth, to Front on Pearl, to Main on Front, to Eighth on Main; to State on Eighth, to Third on State, to North side; on Hagar to Rose, on Rose to St. James, on St. James to Caledonia, on Caledonia to Clinton, on Clinton to Avon, on Avon to St. James, on St. James to park. One division of the parade includes the north end of George street in their line of march.

Word was received late yesterday afternoon by the committee in charge of the parade that the 1,200 soldiers of the Sixth cavalry would not arrive here until July 12. The committee had planned upon this regiment being the feature of the parade. The parade arrived at Copeland park shortly after 10:30 and the day's program was opened by a song by nearly 200 children of the Copeland playground who have been under the direction of Misses Clement and Mahoney.

Mayor John Denger was on the program for the dedication speech. Mr. John H. Moss, Milwaukee, former president of the Milwaukee Business Men's association, was secured to give the Fourth of July oration at 11 o'clock. The program to be given at Copeland park this afternoon is as follows:

12:30 p. m.—Dinner; refreshments served on the grounds by a number of societies.

1:30 p. m.—Drill by Onalaska Boy Scouts; baseball game, Viroqua vs. Nelson Clothing company.

2:30 p. m.—Boys' sack races; girls' race under ten years; boys' three-legged race; girls' race under 16 years; fat man's race; ladies' peanut race.

4:00 p. m.—Midgets' race, under 4 feet 10 inches; 100 yard race, free for all.

4:30 p. m.—Baseball, North La Crosse vs. Summit Stove company. 7:00 p. m.—Walking of greased pole over the water; boys' swimming race; launch parade. 9:00 p. m.—Grand spectacular display of fireworks by direction of a Chicago expert.

Among the leading attractions will be the dancing pavilion, the merry-go-round, races and games, but the final number, the fireworks, promises to surpass all others.

Myrick Park

The celebration at Myrick park opened this morning with a selection by the Norden band which was followed by an interesting baseball game. Games of all kinds and amusements both for old and young are distributed about the park. Thousands had assembled at 11 o'clock and the crowd was gradually growing larger.

Dinner will be served by the Ladies of St. Mary's church from 12 until 2 and supper will be served from 5 until 7 o'clock. One of the leading features of the day will be the concert by the Norden band in the afternoon. This band will furnish music in the morning and will give a high class musical program this afternoon.

The greased pig attraction, without doubt the funniest feature of the program, has been saved for this afternoon. After this event another

JOHNSON WILL NOT HAVE WALKAWAY

Tad Powell Thinks that the Champion May Be Surprised by Jim Flynn

L'I ARTHA IS OVERWEIGHT

Lacks Former Punch and Is Not Training as Faithfully as His Opponent

(By "Tad" Powell)

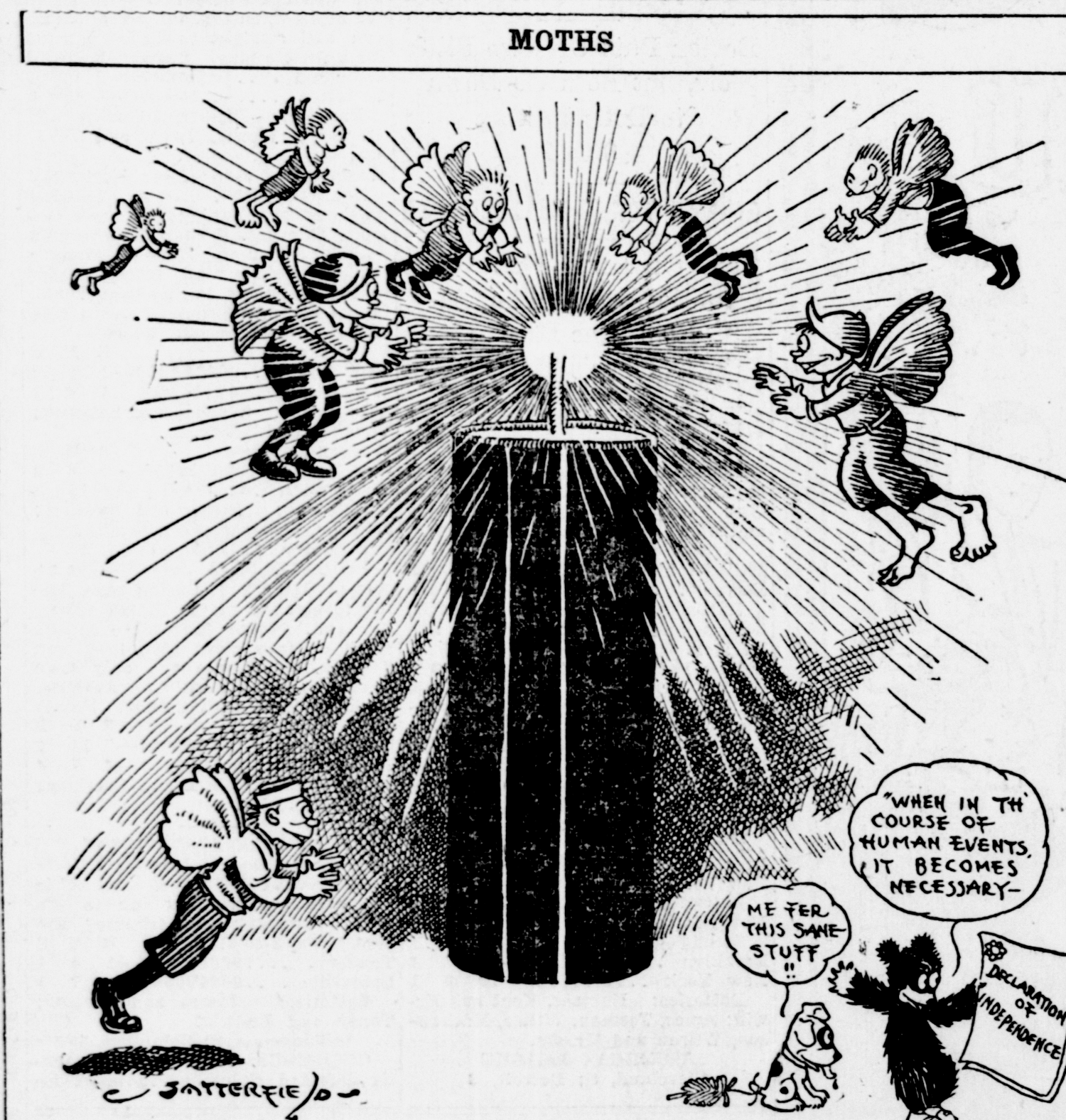
GLORIETTA, N.M., July 4.—After looking over Johnson and Flynn at their training camps and sizing up their work-outs, the observer is struck with the idea that the Johnson-Flynn heavyweight championship scrap to be held in Las Vegas on July Fourth isn't going to be the walkaway the prevailing odds would indicate. The dope sent out by most sport writers on the ground tends to impress the reading public with the idea that Flynn is a White Hope with a sort of half hearted gasp on the Hope part. If Johnson is as much cleverer than Flynn as is generally supposed, their dope may be all right. If he hasn't lost any of his quickness while battling about among the bright lights, he may live up to expectations. If he cuts off some fifteen pounds and gets down to 212 pounds during the coming week, maybe he can do the business as easily as many suppose. Maybe, if he develops a knockout punch, which he hasn't got now, as he demonstrated a couple of days ago when he got sore at Marty Cutler and tried to put him out, maybe he can deliver the goods as easily as he is touted able to do. Maybe his ring generalship and cleverness is such that he can put the kibosh on Flynn after treating himself only to a hair cut and a shave, as he recently remarked, but when a young fellow like Flynn, whose middle name is Hustle, ties into the big smoke, maybe Johnson won't have the clinch he thinks. This is no tout for Flynn, particularly, but the same gait Johnson is going has proven the undoing of more than one champ.

The weight proposition is going to cut a considerable factor in the fight. Johnson is vastly overweight and that will be a handicap. But Flynn is far under the weight with which he is credited. Sport writers are sending out the dope that he will weigh in at 195 ring side. He won't. Flynn is nearer a 158 pound man. This boosting of Flynn's weight and touting of Johnson's fastness is being sent over the wires to inveigle in a lot of sports who, by reading the dope, will figure that Flynn will be nearly evenly matched with Jack Johnson in weight. Or they figure that many will come just to see Johnson perform.

About the conditions of the two men, there is no comparison. Johnson is hobnobbing with white admirers, male and female, until the late hours of the morning, swinging partners through those dreamy "rags" and "turkey trots" and Texas Tom-Toms. The other night Flynn was at a dance. He'd rather dance than do anything, next to fighting. But at 10 o'clock he climbed into his auto and hiked for bed. He's training hard and is in perfect condition right now. Johnson weighs about 225, though his manager is giving it out as 216. On top of that he isn't plugging. Only the other day he boxed three rounds with Marty Cutler. His sparring partners have been instructed not to jolt him in the body as his innards are not working any too well after a few years of high stepping. Cutler stung him one that made the champ wince and he swore like a trooper at Marty and went after him. Now you might expect that something started. It didn't. It is true Marty's nose looked like an overripe tomato when the three rounds ended, but there wasn't a punch that completely put Cutler out, though Cutler was groggy and it didn't take a Philadelphia lawyer to see what the smoke was trying to do. Johnson says he can't punch as hard as formerly, but laughingly says that he has a few left that will cop the coin. Maybe he has. Another thing, when the three rounds ended, Johnson's sides were flapping in and out like the sides of one of these little lizards that crawl about on the rocks. His wind isn't what I'd call better than rotten. And a large roll of fat hung loosely across his abdomen, showing that he has much to take off during this last week. But maybe his cleverness is all that is necessary to do the business, and I'm half inclined to think it will be sufficient, even in the face of some pretty flagrant deficiencies.

About his cleverness business. Let me say that the gentleman with the evening complexion is some nifty. When he boxes with his sparring partners, he doesn't wait for them to deliver their punches and block them at the side of his head or body. He reaches out and picks them off before they fairly get started from the other fellow's shoulder.

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WILSON TO MEET PEERLESS LEADER

Believed Two Progressives Will Stump the Country in Campaign Together

SEES NATIONAL COMMITTEE

Big Democrats Meet Party Nominee Today to Choose a Manager for the Struggle

SEA GIRT, N. J., July 4.—Governor Woodrow Wilson today announced that he will hold a conference here in the near future with William J. Bryan. The Nebraskan is said to be on his way home, but it is expected he will return east soon. It is believed that Bryan and Wilson will arrange to stump the country together during the campaign, but no announcement to that effect has been made.

The platform adopted at Baltimore has not as yet had the full attention of the governor. He said today that while he has not had time to read it carefully, that he expected to do so soon, and would not make a statement concerning it until then. It was evident from his manner, however, that he was pleased with it. His speech of acceptance will deal with it in full, it is said.

The national committee was expected to arrive at 2:30 this afternoon and go into session with Wilson at once. The meeting was called to select a campaign chairman and make plans for the campaign. It was thought that W. F. McCoombs of New York who managed Wilson's nomination campaign, would be named as chairman of the campaign committee, although Congressman Burleson of Texas and National Committeeman Robert Hudspeth of New Jersey were also regarded as possibilities. Governor Wilson could not say today whether he would resign as governor to take the stump.

Visitors continued to pour in on Governor Wilson through the forenoon and telegrams and letters of congratulation arrive almost without interruption. The governor spent most of the morning answering congratulatory messages, but also found time for a reception to his friends, a short automobile ride with Mrs. Wilson. He also planned the reception for the national committee, having a big tent pitched on the lawn for the meeting place.

MAN ACCUSED OF EIGHT MURDERS

SIoux CITY, Iowa, July 4.—Charged with the murder of the Jos. Moore family of six and two guests at Villisca, Iowa, June 10, Frank Roberts, a negro, is held by the Sioux City police.

Sheriff A. A. Jackson of Red Oak will arrive here today with the warrant for Roberts' arrest. Roberts claims he was at Clarinda, Iowa, the night of the murder, having gone there to spend his vacation. He has lived in Sioux City since 1906, and for three years has worked as a porter in a photographic studio.

BOYS EXAMINE MASTER

BELGRADE SCHOLARS MAKE TEACHER PROVE HIS ABILITY TO TEACH THEM BEFORE ACCEPTING HIM

BELGRADE, July 4.—Their former schoolmaster having been dismissed for inefficiency, the boys of the village school of Subiel, Serbia, took it upon themselves to see that his successor was not less learned than they were.

When Milorad Mitchevitch arrived to take charge he was backed into a corner while the boys fired volleys of questions at him. He was asked to define a dozen Latin nouns by some, complicated questions in arithmetic were put by others, and still others demanded accurate geographical information.

The new master consented to the examination on condition that his tormentors take turns, and, having acquitted himself to their satisfaction, he was allowed to depart with a statement from the oldest pupil that, now they were sure he would not have to use notes like his predecessor, he could come and teach them tomorrow if he liked.

FIRE DEPARTMENTS "SHOW" ALDERMEN

During the course of the inspection of the fire houses made by the aldermen of the city yesterday afternoon, three alarms were sent in to test the speed of the departments. No. 5 made the distance from the fire house to Gund's brewery in two minutes and fifteen seconds and No. 3 made the distance in three minutes and fifteen seconds.

In most cases the departments were found to be in good condition but the building and grounds committee will recommend a large number of repairs.

While the question of gradually installing automobile trucks to replace the horses was discussed at considerable length yesterday and many of the aldermen seemed to favor this plan, it is doubtful if any action will be taken in the immediate future. This has been before the council for several years but has been continually postponed owing to the heavy costs.

BONUS ON CHILDREN

PARIS, July 4.—Well nigh desperate over the alarming decrease in the birth rate in France, the cabinet will shortly introduce in the chamber of deputies a bill for bonuses for mothers of more than four children. The minimum will be in the neighborhood of \$100 per child, though the age of the mother and the number of children will cause a variance in this amount.

A tax on bachelors and childless couples will probably be advocated as a means of raising the money to pay the bonuses.

TO HONOR WRIGHT

PARIS, July 4.—A monument to Wilbur Wright, the first birdman of the world, is to be erected at Pau if plans now under way materialize. It was at Pau that Wright startled the world by his sustained flights. In the meantime there is a movement on foot to change the name of some street in Paris to that of the premier aviator.

CROWD FOR BOUT IS LARGER TODAY

Believed About 6,500 Will Witness Johnson-Flynn Battle This Afternoon

BETTING ODDS CHANGE TRIFLE

2 to 5 Offered on Flynn, and Even Money He Will Stay Twelve Rounds

EAST LAS VEGAS, N. M., July 4.—Although far less than the number expected was in Las Vegas this morning to witness the Flynn-Johnson world's championship contest, the promoters of the battle were agreeably surprised when the late trains discharged scores from all points that not even the most sanguine had expected. Tuesday night the gloom around fight headquarters was thicker than a Senegambian's skull. The money in the box amounted to less than \$25,000, which, with the \$10,000 guaranteed by the citizens of Las Vegas, was little more than sufficient to meet Johnson's guarantee. Great store was set by the expected arrivals Wednesday morning, but they failed to materialize. Few came in automobiles after hard drives over the desert, but trains failed to disgorge more than a corporal's dozen. The first ray of hope came when the Denver special, the first to arrive, brought an even one hundred into the city. The Denverites seemed to be harbingers of better times to come and from the moment of their arrival until late at night automobile parties augmented the arrivals by train, more than coming up to the expectations of those who saw little more than 3,000 around the arena at the hour the battle was scheduled to start.

The indications at 9 o'clock today were that the crowd would run up to between 6,000 and 6,500.

With the coming of a big delusion from Pueblo, Flynn's home town, there was a bit of a switch in the betting. The Puebloans offered plenty of 2 to 5 money on their favorite, but the Johnson crowd held off for 1 to 2. Betting on the rounds also showed a change, even money being offered that Flynn would stay twelve rounds, as against ten rounds last night.

Johnson was up with the larks, and after a short stroll went to the rubbing board for a good rub down. A hearty breakfast then followed, and then the champion and his handlers repaired to the veranda, where the morning was spent in discussing everything save the fight, the chat being varied by indulgence in a little horseplay, which is one of the big negro's favorite forms of amusement.

Flynn also was an early riser after a good night's rest. He slept like a baby for eight hours, and expressed himself as feeling as fresh as a daisy when he turned out of bed. He was greatly pleased when informed that a big crowd had come from Pueblo to root for him and wanted word conveyed to his fellow townsfolk that he would give them a good run for their trouble. Flynn ate heartily, and then strolled around the grounds.

FIND MORE DEAD IN REGINA RUINS

Official List of Twenty-eight Is Gradually Growing as Bodies Are Found

SOLDIERS GUARD WRECKAGE

Ruined District in Path of Storm Is Surrounded by Red-coats and Police

REGINA, Sask., July 4.—While the official list of dead is announced at twenty-eight today, an occasional victim of Sunday's cyclone is dug out of the debris daily. Thousands of men and teams are clearing away the wreckage. Much of it is burned after it is searched for concealed bodies.

Available cash for relief purposes today reached a total of \$75,000. All provincial governments and cities are sending money. The concentration camps which had 3,000 patrons Monday, are rapidly diminishing as families secure temporary quarters.

An accurate list of the buildings destroyed shows warehouses and wholesale places destroyed, 52, value, \$750,000; seven churches, two Y. M. A. buildings, value, \$240,000; seven schools, value, \$125,000; large residences, value, \$755,000; 140 small residences, value, \$150,000.

There are many men, in fact the majority, who will find it difficult to get money to build again, and a proposal is being made that either the government loan the money, or some of the relief fund be used to make loans at long terms at about 6 per cent.

Mayor McAra has suggested the building of municipally owned houses to be erected between Albert and Dewdney street, west of Albert. The plan is being discussed.

Soldiers Guard Wrecked District.
The work of relief is being systematically carried on and a dozen different committees are at work. The need for assistance is hourly growing. There are hundreds of families who are living with friends, some of whom cannot afford to quarter them much longer. They will have to apply soon to the city for help and for shelter. The soldiers did valuable service all last night and today, patrolling the devastated area. It gave the impression of an armed camp to see the guards tramping up and down the streets, and sentries at every corner. The soldiers will continue in charge until the work of clearing up the ruins is well advanced.

The mounted police are patrolling the north end district. There have been a few minor cases of looting.

FIND PRESTON MAN DEAD BENEATH TREE

PRESTON, Minn., July 4.—The body of Victor Patterson, 18 year old son of George Patterson, was found yesterday under a tree on a farm near the village of Canton. When found the body lay face down, with a revolver in his right hand. The young man was last seen early last Friday morning, when he returned from the neighboring town of Fountain with some companions. The coroner's verdict is not known yet.

THIRD PARTY IS NOT NECESSARY

MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 4.—That the nomination of Governor Wilson will eliminate the third party movement is the belief of Wisconsin progressive republicans. A score of state leaders interviewed yesterday expressed this opinion.

NINE ALLEGE DRUNKENNESS

SEATTLE, Wash., July 4.—Nine witnesses were examined by the congressional committee in the impeachment trial of United States Judge C. H. Hanford, all of them being questioned as to knowledge of Hanford's alleged drunkenness. This makes a total of 27 witnesses who have been called to give testimony to the charge of drunkenness made against the judge in impeachment complaint.

All yesterday's witnesses accused the judge of intoxication.

FIND LOST CHILD

COUDERAY, Wis., July 4.—Creeping on the ground and crying piteously for water, Ray Argetsinger, the 3-year-old boy who was lost in the woods at noon Sunday, was found at 2 o'clock yesterday morning near Devil's Lake, in the Couderay Indian reservation, four miles from the place where he disappeared.

THINKS GUN EMPTY

ASHLAND, Wis., July 4.—John Corash was accidentally killed on Wednesday at Mellen while playing with an older boy who had a shot gun. The lads did not know it was loaded.

THIRTY-FIVE DIE IN TRAIN WRECK

Express Train Crashes Into Rear of Standing Passenger Near Corning, New York

FOG IS BELIEVED THE CAUSE

Thought Heavy Murk Prevented Engineer of Express from Seeing Train in Front

CORNING, N. Y., July 4.—Thirty-five passengers were killed and fifty injured when an express train crashed into the fast westbound Lackawanna passenger train No. 9, two miles east of this city.

The passenger train, which runs from New York to Buffalo had been standing on the track for twenty minutes when the express train, which carried no passengers, struck it in the rear at full speed.

Down Embankment.
The two day coaches attached to the rear of No. 9 were hurled down an embankment and the express plunged half way through the rear Pullman of the standing train before it came to a stop.

The collision occurred at 5:25 o'clock this morning. Most of the killed were passengers in the day coaches who were going home to spend the Fourth.

A number of the injured were pinned under the wreckage for hours and their groans and shrieks could be clearly heard. At one time there were fifty persons, many of them fatally injured, lying on the floor of the emergency room at the local hospital. Every undertaker in Corning was called to help care for the dead, but their wagons were first pressed into service to carry the injured to the hospitals.

Had No Warning

The place where the wreck occurred was a straight stretch of track. So far as can be ascertained the engineer of the express train had no warning that the passenger train was in his way. It is believed that when he first saw it he thought the train was standing on a parallel track.

The crowded passenger train was held up by a break in one train on the track dead ahead. No. 11 came along at the rate of sixty miles an hour, and William Shaver, the engineer, it was believed, failed to see the stalled train ahead, because of a dense fog that prevailed at the time. The engine crashed through the observation car and telescoped three coaches ahead.

Most of the dead and injured who were taken to Corning and Elmira hospitals were strangers to that section, and this makes identification at this time difficult. Of the fifty injured some were not expected to recover.

MELLON CASE SETTLED

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 4.—Ending practically by agreement among themselves, one of the most bitterly contested divorce actions ever brought in the local courts, the prothonotaries' records today showed that Millionaire Banker Andrew Mellon has been granted a divorce from his wife, Nora McMullen Mellon on the grounds of desertion. Mellon in his original proceedings charged his wife with infidelity and named George Alfred Curphey, an English army captain, as co-respondent.

QUEER "MOVIE" AD

TURIN, July 4.—The descriptive list advertised for a sale of moving picture films here contained the following:

"The Nose of Cretnelli" (eighty yards long); "Eternal Love" (last about fifteen minutes); "The Solitary Worm" (about 170 yards, all laughable); "Diogenes' Barrel" (cheap, but in excellent condition).

FORM AVIATORS' UNION

PARIS, July 4.—A union of aviators, former for the purpose of controlling aviation meets, salaries of pilots, conditions of engagements and the like, is proposed here by Alfred Leblanc, the famous French aviator.

The new union will be called "Friendly Society of Aviators," and all licensed pilots are eligible. Already nearly all of the French aviators have announced their willingness to join.

ELECTRICAL STORM WORST IN YEARS

What is reported to be the worst electrical storm in recent years is raging between Tomah and the Twin Cities, according to advices received in La Crosse today. Wire communication is partly disabled, and details are meager, but it is believed the storm is part of the same elemental disturbance which struck La Crosse at 10:30 today. The rain, despite the fact that it puts a literal damper on many pleasure trips, was welcomed as a relief from the hot and sultry atmosphere of the last few days.

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a kind forethought and a hearty welcome,
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La Crosse, Wis.

The Appropriate Beverage
for the Fourth of July



WOLGAST FIGHTS FOR CHAMP'S BELT

Diamond Stomacher Is the
Prize of Badger's Battle
with Mexican To-
day

LOS ANGELES, Cal., July 4.—Is Joe Rivers, California's pampered pugilistic pet, of championship caliber? Can the punishing Mexican boxer lower the colors of the present lightweight title holder, Ad Wolgast? These questions should be satisfactorily answered this afternoon. In the Vernon arena of the Pacific A. C., at 3 o'clock this afternoon, Wolgast and Rivers meet in a scheduled twenty-round bout, with Jack Welch acting as referee. The old-fashioned "championship belt" idea has been hauled back from dusty long ago, and to the winner will go the McCarey diamond-studded stomacher, emblematic of the world's lightweight championship. Rivers is unfortunate in a measure, as a victory for the challenger is sure to attract the finger of benediction. No matter how decisively the Mexican might score over the present lightweight title holder, it is sure to be claimed by Wolgast's friends that the operation for appendicitis was what did for the Dutch lad.

Wolgast is a veritable Queensberry bulldog. A natural fighter, he fights more from instinct than from any set plan. Always boring in, flailing away with jabs, hooks, uppercuts and other hand blows, the champion throws himself at an opponent and there is positive victory on the end of any one of his punches that finds the right spot.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

National League	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	54	11	.831
Chicago	36	26	.581
Pittsburgh	37	27	.578
Cincinnati	36	32	.529
Philadelphia	27	34	.443
St. Louis	27	43	.388
Brooklyn	25	40	.385
Boston	20	49	.290

American League	Won	Lost	Pct.
Boston	48	22	.686
Philadelphia	39	27	.591
Chicago	39	29	.574
Washington	41	31	.569
Cleveland	34	34	.500
Detroit	34	37	.479
New York	19	46	.292
St. Louis	19	47	.279

American Association	Won	Lost	Pct.
Columbus	55	28	.663
Toledo	50	29	.633
Minneapolis	48	30	.615
Kansas City	37	42	.468
Milwaukee	35	46	.432
St. Paul	34	47	.420
Louisville	29	64	.312
Indianapolis	30	51	.370

Wisconsin-Illinois League	Won	Lost	Pct.
Appleton	38	18	.679
Oshkosh	33	24	.579
Racine	32	26	.552
Wausau	31	27	.534
Rockford	28	29	.491
Green Bay	26	31	.456

Rivers, wasp-like, and clever puncher, fights along more scientific lines, not being so willing to trade blow for blow as the dare devil champion who is possessed of the idea that the 133-pound man doesn't live who can whip him.

Aurora 22 34 .393
Madison 19 40 .322

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

National League
Brooklyn, 1-9; New York, 2-10.
Chicago-Pittsburgh; no game scheduled.
Philadelphia, 8; Boston, 5.
St. Louis-Cincinnati; no game scheduled.

American League
Boston, 7; Philadelphia, 2.
Cleveland, 8; Detroit, 6.
Washington, 3-10; New York, 2-2.
Chicago-St. Louis; no game, rain.

American Association
Milwaukee, 7; St. Paul, 6; (ten innings.)
Kansas City, 4; Minneapolis, 2.
Louisville, 2; Toledo, 1.
Indianapolis, 2; Columbus, 1.

Wisconsin-Illinois League
Racine, 7; Aurora, 0.
Wausau, 3; Green Bay, 1.
Appleton, 8; Oshkosh, 0.
Madison, 4; Rockford, 1.

GAMES TODAY
National League
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh—Two games.
Chicago at St. Louis—Two games.
Philadelphia at Boston—Two games.
Brooklyn at New York—Two games.

American League
Cleveland at Chicago—Two games.
St. Louis at Detroit—Two games.
New York at Washington—Two games.
Boston at Philadelphia—Two games.

American Association
Kansas City at Milwaukee—Two games.
St. Paul at Minneapolis—Morning.
Minneapolis at St. Paul—Afternoon.
Toledo at Indianapolis—Two games.

It takes a lot to live—and it requires a house on the lot.

SPORTING NEWS

PHILLIES TAKE FIRST OF SERIES

Boston Puts Up Two Pitchers, but Both Go Down to Defeat; Score 8 to 5

GIANTS TAKE DOUBLEHEADER

Brooklyn Loses One Game to Marquard, Who Allows Nine Hits to Rucker's Three

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Philadelphia, 8; Boston, 5
BOSTON, July 4.—The Phillies hammered two Boston twirlers in the first game of the series yesterday and won by a score of 8 to 5. Score: R H E Philadelphia . . . 001000430—8 13 2 Boston . . . 31000010—6 11 5 Batteries: Chalmers, Curtis, Schutze and Dooan; Hess, White and Rariden.

New York, 2-10; Brooklyn, 1-9
NEW YORK, July 4.—The Giants took a double header from the Dodgers yesterday, 2 to 1 and 10 to 9. Marquard opposed Rucker in the first game and made his record nineteen straight. He was lucky to win, as he allowed nine hits against the Nap's three. Score: R H E First game—R H E Brooklyn . . . 001000000—1 9 3 New York . . . 00010010x—2 3 3 Batteries: Rucker and Miller; Marquard and Meyers.

Second game—R H E
Brooklyn . . . 103101300—9 17 4 New York . . . 31001302x—10 9 1 Batteries: Knetzer, Kent and Erwin; Ames, Tesreau, Wiltse, Mathewson, Wilson and Meyers.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Cleveland, 8; Detroit, 6

DETROIT, July 5.—The Tigers tried another ninth inning rally yesterday, but fell shy two runs of tying it up and the Naps won, 8 to 6. Only one was down and two were on in the ninth when Delehanty shot a cannon ball straight to Lajoie's mitts for a double play. Score: R H E Cleveland . . . 104110010—8 11 1 Detroit . . . 001100004—6 11 3 Batteries: Kaler, Blanding and Easterly; Works, Lake and Stanage.

Washington, 3-10; New York, 2-2
WASHINGTON, July 5.—The much abused Yankees dropped two more games yesterday, Washington winning 3 to 2 and 10 to 2. Shank's triple brought a ninth inning victory to the Nationals in the opener and in the second session it was a case of too much Johnson. Score: R H E First game—R H E New York . . . 000200000—2 9 2 Washington . . . 000200001—3 6 1 Batteries: Warhop and Sweeney; Johnson, Mausser and Ainsmith.

Second game—R H E
New York . . . 010000100—2 6 2 Washington . . . 04013101x—10 15 1 Batteries: Fisher and Sweeney; Johnson, Mausser and Ainsmith.

Boston, 7; Philadelphia, 2
PHILADELPHIA, July 5.—The errors of Barry and Oldring gave Boston three runs in the fourth yesterday and, adding four more in the ninth on four clean hits, they won 7 to 2. This was the only time Coombs was hit hard. The Athletics could do little with Collins. Score: R H E Boston . . . 000300004—7 11 2 Philadelphia . . . 011000000—2 7 4 Batteries: Collins and Carrigan; Coombs and Lapp.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Louisville, 2; Toledo, 1

LOUISVILLE, July 4.—Louisville put over the winning run in the ninth yesterday and trimmed the Mud Hens, 2 to 1. Score: R H E Toledo . . . 000010000—1 4 1 Louisville . . . 000100001—2 7 1 Batteries: James and Carisch; Toney and Ludwig.

Indianapolis, 2; Columbus, 1
COLUMBUS, July 4.—Indianapolis defeated Columbus in eight in-

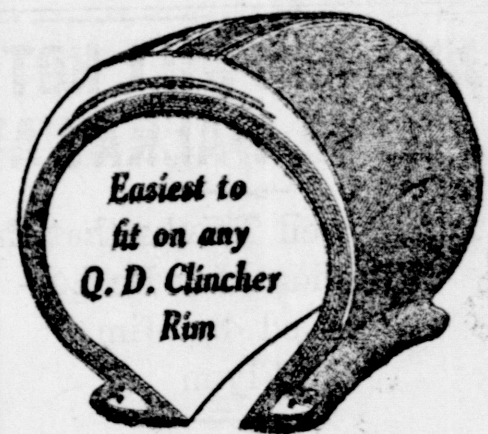
FLYNN AND JOHNSON BOTH FAT AND NEITHER IN BEST CONDITION FOR FIGHT



Jim Flynn.

If the battle at Las Vegas on July 4 goes for any length of time Jim Flynn may get short of wind. He has been unable to reduce his weight to the point which his trainer thought necessary to success. He weighs 195. Johnson is fat, too, and neither goes into the fight in the best condition. Flynn denies, however, that his weight will prove a handicap.

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nings yesterday, 2 to 1. Score: R H E

Indianapolis . . . 10100000—2 10 1

Columbus . . . 000000001—1 9 1

Batteries: Ashenfelder and Clark; McQuillen, Cook, Smith and Rapp.

Kansas City, 4; Minneapolis, 2

MINNEAPOLIS, July 4.—Kansas City won a pitchers' battle from Minneapolis by bunching their hits. Score: R H E

Kansas City . . . 000030100—4 8 2

Minneapolis . . . 101000000—2 6 1

Batteries: Maddox and O'Connor; Liebhardt and Owens.

Milwaukee, 7; St. Paul, 6

ST. PAUL, July 4.—The Brewers took the last game of the series yesterday in ten innings by the score of 7 to 6. Score: R H E

St. Paul . . . 3020000010—6

Milwaukee . . . 0102120001—7

Batteries: Thomas, Lary, Gardner and Marshall; Nicholson, Slapnicka and Schalk.

KILBANE MEETS DIXON

CLEVELAND, July 4.—Two of the five ring title holders who will meet challengers in the United States today will appear in Cleveland. Johnny Kilbane, world's featherweight champion, will take on Tommy Dixon in a twelve round bout. Unless Dixon lands a lucky punch Kilbane is certain to win by a wide margin. The second will be a wrestling event when Henry Gehring, claimant of the middleweight championship, goes again Bob Berry, a champion of England.

MOTORCYCLISTS IN MEET

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., July 4.—Eighteen motor cyclists warmed up their machines in preparation for the eight events this afternoon at the State Fair motor cycle meet. Rain caused the postponement of the first day's card.

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

Moran of the Brooklyns, was the hitting star of the day. He annexed two triples and two singles in the second Giant game.

Rucker really outpitched Marquard, allowing four hits to the Rube's nine. But the Rube won his 19th starlight game.

Rucker fanned five and passed one. Rube fanned three and walked five.

Walter Johnson just cannot be satisfied with the pitching honors of the American league. He is never happy unless he is pounding out a triple. He lambasted Ray Fisher for one.

Dode Paskert gathered four hits in five times up.

Cleveland stole four bases on Stanage. Olson swiped two of them.

The Dodgers doubled the hits on the Giants in both games.

Jack Daughert at first base had only four put outs behind Rucker's pitching. There were only six assists, which shows that Nap had the Giants hitting in the air.

Wisconsin-Illinois League

Rockford at Madison—Two games.
Aurora at Racine—Two games.
Oshkosh at Appleton—Two games.
Wausau at Green Bay—Two games.

Will Insist on Baths.

The master of Navan Union, County Meath, Ireland, in which institution compulsory baths for able-bodied tramps have been introduced recently, reported that 14 tramps were admitted the previous night, and, rather than take baths, seven left. The chairman then stated that the motto of the institution from henceforth, should be "Swim or Shift."

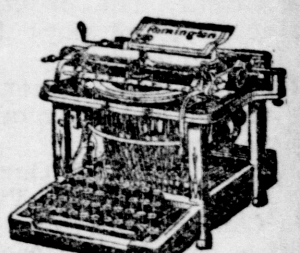
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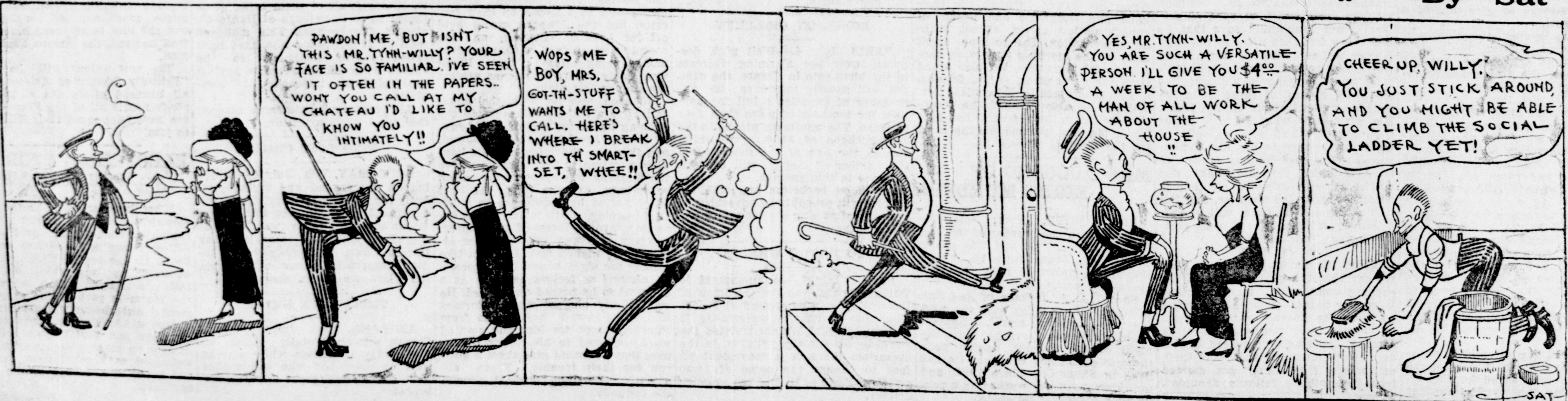
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the necessity for the greatest possible care in selecting a candidate for this office.

But for the now humorous spitefulness of Platt in maneuvering Theodore Roosevelt into second place with McKinley the colonel today might not be a factor in party affairs. It is only one more instance of the potential possibilities of the position which so long has been the butt of jokes.

WILSON vs. TAFT FOR PRESIDENCY

The democrats at Baltimore have nominated Woodrow Wilson as their candidate for the presidency.

The result affords a striking contrast to the action of the Chicago convention. If the presumption that a majority of the voters of all parties in the United States are progressives is accurate, the democratic nominee, with one notable exception, is the strongest figure in that party; Mr. Taft, on the contrary, is probably the weakest of the candidates of his party, measured by the standard of progressivism.

Not all republicans agree that Mr. Taft is a standpatter. Many of them declare he is a true progressive who is conservative only to the extent of "sanity" and who differs from the more radical in method rather than in principle.

The public, however, is not inclined to split hairs when there is wood to chop. In all probability they will discard fine discriminations and question-begging analyses, and draw a broad and unmistakable line between the two men. No matter what his protestations, the progressives in every state will rank Mr. Taft as a standpatter and accord to Mr. Wilson the virtue of progressivism. The campaign promises to be well defined, the issue between the parties being sharply drawn.

Indeed, the conservative Mr. Taft, running on a conservative platform, would do himself honor in the eyes of all parties and factions were he to disclaim insurgency and boldly assert his status as a standpatter, appealing to the conservative element in both parties.

If present sentiment in this locality is a fair basis from which to draw conclusions, there has not in years been a presidential election the outcome of which so many people are prepared to declare to be not problematical. However, many factors at present unsettled will enter into the fight. The possibility and effect of Roosevelt becoming a "third party" candidate and the final attitude of Senator La Follette are two things to be considered. The effect of the tightening of party lines upon prevention sentiment, and the extent to which bitter factionalism may be healed are also elements.

Another important influence in controlling the alignment of voters is the effect which the voting of republicans for a democratic presidential nominee is calculated to have upon state and county tickets.

One hope we entertain for this campaign. It is that, more than ever before, the voters may study the issues and deal with the election with that intelligence which comes of understanding.

"TAD" POWELL WRITES FOR THE TRIBUNE

Today we publish an interesting discussion of today's heavyweight championship battle at Glorietta, N. M., written by George Powell, familiarly known in La Crosse as "Tad." Mr. Powell, who has achieved success in larger fields since he left the late lamented Morning Chronicle, is at the ringside handling the event for a newspaper syndicate and for a few newspapers. His letter will doubtless prove interesting to followers of the fight game.

A foxy boy is that German emperor. He suggests that every beautiful woman in the empire be taxed. If that plan ever becomes a law in Germany what a rush of women there would be to pay taxes, as every woman would insist on being taxed.

Thirty thousand harvest hands are wanted in Kansas, but unhappily many of the idle men in the big cities seeking employment cannot accept it in a state where there is nothing to drink but buttermilk and water.

But it doesn't look as though even the most ardent suffragettes would ever learn to step off the street car the right way.

Apropos of the nomination of Woodrow Wilson, a lot of republicans feel as though they had visited a painless dentist.

Dr. Wiley has declined to be the health officer of Boston. Probably they wouldn't let him deodorize the codfish.

Lillian Russell has a fourth, but only time will tell whether he is safe and sane.

Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

The Nature Lover's Plight.
I am a Nature Lover, and my disposition's kind;
But I wish I knew the working of the quadrupedal mind.
Now, if I met a tiger, could I make him understand
That my motives are benignant and my attitude is bland?

Could I convince a grizzly bear that I have no intent
Of aught save pleasant courtesy, and civil is my bent?
Could I make any big gray wolf implicitly believe
That if he deem me offish I shall deeply, truly grieve?
That not a single hostile thought within my bosom is,
That all my wishes and desires are right in line with his?

Because, unless I feel that I can dominate his thought,
And make him view my conduct just exactly as he ought,
I think I'd rather not go out to meet a wild beast where
His foot is on his native heath and nearby is his lair.
Carolyn Wells, in Harper's Magazine

Easy to Squelch.
Mrs. Susan Wissler, the new mayor of Dayton, Wyo., was squelching an anti-suffrage argument.

"But, indeed," she ended, "these anti-suffrage arguments are easy to squelch. They are all on a par. They have about as much real truth in them as the argument of the old fellow who, to prove man's superiority, said:

"Man's baldness is another proof. Man goes bald because his brain is allus workin'." Whereas woman—she don't never go bald."

"He took out a plug of tobacco, waved it scornfully in the air, bit off a large chew, and said:

"Also, gents, by follerin' up the same line of argument we see that the reason why women can't raise whiskers is because her jaw is allus workin'!"

Prolific Art.
Robert Henri, an artist, was talking at the annual exhibition of the Philadelphia Academy of Fine Arts about certain old masters.

"Take, for instance," he said, "Morland. The illustrious and indefatigable Morland painted in the course of forty years 4,000 pictures. And of these—"

Mr. Henri smiled his quiet and intelligent smile.

"Of these," he continued, "no less than 8,000 are still extant."—Washington Star.

A Quick Way.
A business man was remonstrating with his partner.

"I hear your son is writing poetry," he began.

"Yes."

"I hear you actually encourage him to send it to the magazines."

"Yes."

"Do you want your son to become a poet?"

"No, I merely want him to get the conceit knocked out of him."—Pittsburg Post.

An Idle Threat.
"Then," he cried tragically, "then you reject me? And for my hated rival?"

"Yes," she answered coldly, but colloquially. "Yes to both questions."

"Ha! Then I owe the fellow a grudge. I have long owed him \$10. And now I will pay both debts at once and he will fall dead!"

Lighting his cigarette at the hall gas jet, he departed with a mocking laugh. But the beautiful girl was not alarmed. She knew he could never carry out his devilish scheme. For she knew that he never had \$10 in his whole life.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

None Such Nowadays.
There are a couple of old antebellum negroes of the type that has practically disappeared now serving in one of the government departments at Washington, and these two old fellows, like nothing better than to "get together" now and then and talk over "times befo' de war."

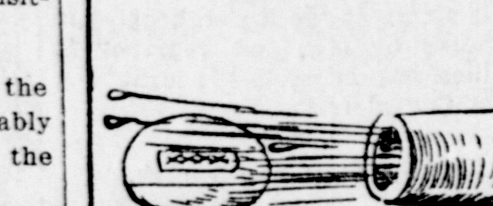
On one such occasion Uncle Job observed that "de ole marster I had befo' de wah was a gen'l'man sho' nough."

"Yo' bet dey was high toned gen'l'men in dem days," was his friend's comment.

"Now you're talkin'," continued Uncle Job. "How well I remember time an' time ag'in my old marster kicked me off de front steps an' a minute arterward he had done plumb fergit all about it. Dey ain't no mo' sich gen'l'men nowadays."—Harper's.

DIPPY DOPE

IF A THIRTEEN INCH GUN SHOTS A CANNON BALL, WOULD A 12 INCH GUN SHOOT A FOOT BALL?



At the left, Tell Berna and Piatt Adams; putting shot, Ralph Rose; at left of Rose, George Horine and Abel Kivlat; at extreme right, James Duncan.

GEORGIA SENATOR VERY, VERY HAPPY



Senator Hoke Smith.

Hoke Smith, the genial senator from Georgia, is very happy these days at the prospect of Democratic success. At Baltimore, where the accompanying picture was taken and where Smith was a prominent figure during the convention, his bright smile proved catching. Perhaps all those Democrats would have smiled, anyway, since the Republican pow-wow at Chicago was an event of recent memory.

Museum of Daily Facts and Freaks

Sang Self in Jail.

NEW YORK—Because vaudeville managers would not give her a try out, Miss Gertrude Van Dyke of Butte mounted her calico pony and sang to the crowd on Broadway. She got a police station engagement.

15 Pound Blackjack.

NEW YORK—Michael J. Connors holds the palm for black jacks. The police took one weighing fifteen pounds from him and said it was the biggest ever seen in New York.

Boy Beats T. R.

OYSTER BAY, N. Y.—An urchin threw a stone at the Roosevelt automobile and struck Mrs. Roosevelt on the cheek. The colonel chased him, but the boy escaped fame by out-running T. R.

Jerry's Triplets Lucky.

NEW YORK—Jerry Moynihan's wife presented him with triplets, and Jerry the same day got a job after three months of idleness. He says they are mascots.

Rockefeller Slows Autos.

TARRYTOWN, N. Y.—William Rockefeller's superintendent reported that automobilists running through the estate were damaging the roadway, and he ordered that piles of loose earth be scattered on the drive.

Millionaires Debtors.

NEW YORK—The names of Thomas F. Ryan, John D. Rockefeller, Miss Helen Gould, Henry Clews, Jr., and a dozen other millionaires appeared on the schedule of debtors filed by a bankrupt catering company.

HOLD AVIETTE CONTESTS

PARIS, July 4.—A second contest of "aviettes" or an-propelled aeroplanes, will be held here October. There are several prizes offered, the first prize being \$2,000. Most of the "aviettes" so far seen in France are wings attached to bicycles, with or without propellers.

The MAN in the BROWN DERBY by WELLS HASTINGS Author of The Professor's Mystery Copyright, 1911, by Bobbs-Merrill Co.

The clerk looked at me sharply. "I suppose he was," he said. "Unless you owe some one money," and he chuckled as if the observation had been the quintessence of sly humor.

"What did he look like?" I asked. "Well, I don't know as you'd say he looked like anything particular. He was just a tall man, with good clothes, and a nose perhaps a little longer than the law allows. The only thing I really did notice about him was his cap. I did like his cap. It was just like one I have had my eye on for the last two weeks. I am going to step around and get it this afternoon."

The taste of the Bucks County clerk in caps did not seem to me a very enthralling subject. "Oh, you must have been mistaken," I said; "there is nobody about here that I know. It must have been some other Ellsworth that he was looking for." "Well," drawled the clerk, "he asked for Mason Ellsworth as plain as paint. Wanted to know if I had heard either of you or of a young lady named Nancy Bond. Said he was the agent for some phonograph or other, and his firm had asked him to look you up." He eyed me for a moment shrewdly. "I did not take much stock in the agent business, though," he said; "somehow you can tell an agent when you see one."

"Mason Ellsworth, Nancy Bond?" Who in the world could be looking for us? Who in the world in this out-of-the-way place? No one but Nancy's uncle could, it seemed to me, know where we were; and yet this was evidently not Ephraim Bond. I had come very bravely upon my errand, but now I felt vaguely afraid, and my fear was the greater simply because it was vague. Of a sudden, I remembered the man in the brown derby hat, and felt that I was five long miles and over away from Nancy. "Thank you," I said to the clerk and walked out of the office as quietly as I could. It was agony to keep my measured step through the almost empty streets of the quiet, unassuming little town. Once out of it, I started running and ran until I could run no more. So I went along those five miles that had seemed so short, running when I could, walking when I could run no more; fear growing in my heart with every tortured, panting stride. No vehicle of any kind passed me, and I hated the physical disability and lack of training that kept me from running every step of the way. But at last I came in sight of home.

There it lay across the rolling fields, peaceful and secure. Smoke was curling lazily from the great central chimney and the gray expanse of shingled roof was blotched irregularly with color, where pigeons sunned themselves in the glow of the late afternoon. How foolish I had been! Here, if anywhere in the world, was security itself. I had tasted of melodrama, to be sure, but, thank God, I had left it behind me in the city where anything may

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happen; here was only peace and quiet and the poignant happiness of ultimate tranquility. I laughed at the thoughts that had stirred me and made up my mind that they should not trouble Nancy too. I was hot and tired and dusty, and I stopped in the road to make some disingenuous repairs to my dishevelment. I was dusting my shoes with my handkerchief, when there came a rattle of wheels and a shout, and I had only time to leap to the roadside, when a horse and buggy rounded the abrupt turn of the road and dashed past me at a runaway gallop in the direction I had just come. I turned to look after it; the buggy top was up and lurching drunkenly to the mad galloping of the horse. If I had not heard the shout I should have thought the runaway was driverless, and then to my amazement I could see far off the thin flicker of a lashing whip, as the buggy disappeared in a cloud of dust.

After all, I was tired and nervous; even this sudden chance awoke my fears again. I vaulted the whitewashed rail fence and started running across the fields, blundering through bits of bog, tearing impatiently through briars, and once or twice almost falling on the deceptive, uneven ground.

I made the veranda steps in a rush; the front door was open and I paused a second, gasping in the hall. "Nancy!" I called. "Nancy!" and stood sickly afraid. Though my voice echoed hollowly through the house and I knew, even as I called, that I was all alone there, that Nancy was gone, nevertheless, I ran up to her room, only to find it empty, and then started searching the rest of the house with an abandonment of terror which has since made me heartily ashamed. Empty room after empty room mocked and menaced me. A bit of embroidery lay on the dining-room table, and I snatched it up, as if, somehow, it might help me find her. I threw open the back door and called, and ran out of the house and through the orchard, calling. "Nancy, Nancy," to the empty world. Then, as when once or twice in my life I have had to fight, I grew of a sudden quiet, collected and cold, and went back to make a more methodical search of the house. It was barely possible, I reflected, that she had made an excursion to one of the neighbor's places, taking her helper with her as a guide. Then, before making the rounds of the neighborhood, I determined to look over our own house thoroughly; for, unless indeed she had gone somewhere with Nancy, I could not account for the disappearance of the woman I had employed.

I was not to seek her long, however, for as I re-entered the kitchen

I heard a sound which I must have heard before, save for the extremity of my panic, the drumming of fists on the inside of a closet door. The door had been locked and boited from the outside, and my heart sank within me as I undid the lock, for I knew now that Nancy was surely gone. The woman, whom I had thought so secure a guardian, burst out upon me wrathfully.

"What did you mean by that?" she asked, her voice rising almost to a shriek. "Is that the way to treat one? If it's a joke, it's a very poor one."

"Exactly what happened?" I asked her, when I had calmed her indignation somewhat.

(To be Continued)

Gave an Important Order

A rural postmaster tells this story of one of the patrons of his office, a boy of thrifty, not to say penurious stock. When the lad comes into the postoffice he will thrust his wizened face close up to the window and, in his slow, Yankee drawl, inquired most earnestly: "Hev ye got any postal cards?" "Yes," the postmaster replies. "Haow much be they t'day?" "A cent apiece."

Then the boy, screwing up his eyes in the intensity of his thought over the question he has to decide, always stops for a while to weigh the consequences. Finally, he will reply, solemnly: "Wal, I'll take one."

PROHIBIT SALE OF ARMS

VIENNA, July 4.—Drastic measures have been taken by the ministry of the interior to regulate the sale of small firearms throughout Austria, in view of the large number of up to date weapons confiscated by the police from arrested criminals in the past few months.

An official decree, just published, prohibits absolutely the sale of automatic repeating revolvers, Browning pistols, small air pistols and similar weapons, excepting to persons holding a special permit from the local authorities.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Jenkins.

If we are to believe Tennyson, the knights of old used to capture the ladies' hearts by winning at the jousts. The knight who could kill the largest number of opposing knights in the shortest time had the

edge on all the other knights who were less skillful. A wedding which occurred recently down in Atlanta, Georgia, is a reminder of the good old days when knighthood was in flower. The parties to the ceremony were "Bill" Jenkins, a football player on the Georgia Tech eleven, and Miss Katherine Boothe, one of the belles of Atlanta. Miss Boothe fell in love with Jenkins at a football game in which the latter won for her favorite eleven by his brilliant playing. The admiration was mutual, and it was not long afterwards that he bought the engagement ring.

ILLITERACY IS SMALL IN U. S.

Excluding Foreign Born Population, Average Is 3 Per Cent of Americans Uneducated

Considered without qualifying circumstances, the latest official reports indicate that only three persons out of ten thousand in Germany are unable to read or write, while the proportion of illiteracy in Great Britain is 150 per 10,000 as against 770 per 10,000 in the United States. These figures are based on a comparison of illiteracy among some of the leading nations which has just been made and issued for free distribution by the United States bureau of education. The bureau has used the preliminary figures of the 1910 census for this country, and the latest official reports available for the others.

Although America seems to make a bad third in the comparison, the bureau of education's publication calls attention to circumstances which tend to put a much better face upon the matter. Thus, the American figures include the entire population more than ten years ago, while the German figures cover only the army recruits, and the British statistics deal only with adults, and generally speaking, with physically and mentally normal adults, while the United States census includes without discrimination everyone above the ten year age limit.

Again, it is pointed out, the showing of the United States is brought down by reason of the fact that the country has a large population of foreign born whites as well as of colored persons, among whom the percentage of illiteracy is 12.8 per cent and 30.5 per cent, respectively. The illiteracy among the native whites of this country is only 3 per cent.

What the Press Says Of Woodrow Wilson

The Indianapolis News: "Woodrow Wilson is a representative of the best type of our citizenship and a progressive who has met fairly every test to which he has been subjected. All odds the strongest candidate before the convention, Governor Wilson was chosen not only without the help of the interests or their political managers but over their desperate opposition. Murphy, Tammany, Hearst and Ryan fought him to the last. The candidate, however, owes nothing to these interests, nothing to any influence that would swerve him from the path of duty."

Chicago Evening Post (Rep.): "The democrats have put their best foot forward. They have nominated Woodrow Wilson, the candidate of progression. If the people want the new third party they will have to demand it as a fundamental principle and not as a personal endorsement of any man, however worthy. That is just what Theodore Roosevelt asked at Orchestra hall."

Chicago Daily News (Rep.): "Many forces worked together to bring about the nomination of Wilson. The two most effective were Theodore Roosevelt and W. J. Bryan."

Detroit Times: "The convention named the logical candidate for leadership and the only man it could have nominated with hope of success in November."

"It nominated the only man among these leading candidates whom it could offer the people in good faith in asking for the support of voters disgusted with and sick of misrule by the republican party. The party, in this happy culmination of its labors night and day for over a week in Baltimore, has made its strongest bid for the confidence of

PLAN TO KEEP SCHOOL RECORD

Every Child in City Institutions to Be Card Catalogued, Is New Scheme

HELP FOR STATISTICIANS

New System Will Enable a Thorough Analyzing of the Work of Each Scholar

Every child in the elementary city schools of the United States is to be card catalogued, and a running history of his entire school career in the grades kept permanently on file, according to plans formulated by investigators whose report has just been issued for free distribution by the United States Bureau of Education. Although this plan has just been inaugurated, it has the approval of the National Education association, while some 300 cities have already begun to keep the cards. Eventually, it is anticipated, about 6,000,000 pupils will be thus tabulated.

Answer Questions

With the new card catalogue system in full operation throughout the country, definite and scientific answer can be made to a large number of questions the solution to which must now be guessed in large measure. How many times has a given child been detained in a grade? How many backward, overage, or retarded children are there in a given city's schools? How does this showing compare with other cities? Does absence from school effect progress?

These and other like questions can be answered readily and accurately when the new cumulative card index, in which every young American has his place can be drawn upon for the information.

The form of card contains the following entries, among others: Age of child; date of admission to school; grade; days present; health; conduct; scholarship; place of birth; vaccinated; name and occupation of parent or guardian.

As the child moves from grade to grade, or from building to building, the card containing his past record will follow him, as will also be the case even if he should move from one city to another. In this way his entire past and present in school will be checked off against each other, point by point and year by year.

Cost System

In addition to introducing the cumulative index card as a means of keeping the school history of every American child, the committee of investigators has also drawn up a uniform method of reporting fiscal statistics, so that costs may be computed upon the same universal basis.

The new scheme of school statistics was drawn up by a committee appointed by the department of superintendence of the national educational association, working in co-operation with the United States Bureau of Education. The result of their labors is issued as a government document under the title "Report of the Committee on Uniform Records and Reports," and will be sent free upon request to the United States Commissioner of Education, Department of the Interior, Washington, D. C.

the nation and a bid that will be accepted beyond doubt.

"For which, thanks are due the son of Nebraska, who as democracy's Daniel, bearded the lion of predatory wealth in its den and mastered and conquered the beast."

Detroit News: "Woodrow Wilson's nomination as democratic candidate for president of the United States might be charged, in baseball parlance, as a forced run. The most powerful of the organized elements which figure in politics fought against him. These elements came to the convention thoroughly equipped for the elimination of Wilson as a presidential possibility if they lacked the power to nominate their own candidate."

"They hoped to rule the convention by force of numbers, but they were fooled by one man who accomplished a victory for the progressive element. Mr. Bryan's weapons were his personal influence over thousands of democrats who believe in his sincerity and his superiority as a fighting man on his feet before a vast assembly. It was the most distinguished victory of his career."

"Wilson's nomination was a splendid exhibition of a party's realization of the real power that stands behind the government and a humiliating surrender on the part of the reactionaries."

The St. Paul Dispatch (Rep.): "The same forces were at work and the same fight was made at Baltimore as at Chicago and the only difference was in the result. In both conventions there was the struggle for emancipation from the bosses and the interests."

"The progressive republicans and the independents, who will control the next election, must decide to whom they will turn; must decide whether Roosevelt shall lead them along a path clear and plain to the end or whether they find in Wilson one sufficiently progressive and without handicap from the organization which nominated him to bring about the reforms the majority of the American people desire to see instituted during the next administration."



Mathew B. Brady Under Fire in the Works Before Petersburg

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the postoffice in the fields, how the men sent their letters, how they received them, of welcome news from home. They speak of the affection of Grant, Lee, Sherman and McClellan for their men—and the daring heroism of officers and privates in uniforms of blue and gray.

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TITANIC INQUIRY ENDS

LONDON, July 4.—The board of trade inquiry into the Titanic disaster concluded on Wednesday and Lord Merz, the presiding judge, announced that its report would be produced within a "reasonable time." Sir Rufus Isaacs, the attorney general, in his closing speech, said there was no excuse for the inaction of Capt. Lord of the California. Lord Merz suggested that Capt. Lord was possibly guilty of a misdemeanor. Sir Rufus asserted that utterly unnecessary risks had been taken by the Titanic and that the causes of the disaster were a bad lookout and excessive speed. During the thirty-six sessions of the court of inquiry, ninety-eight witnesses were examined and 25,631 questions put to them.

Naturally a female attendant in a lunatic asylum thinks everybody is crazy about her.

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Old Customs in Synagogues.

When the annual reading of the Book of Esther takes place in the synagogues as a prelude to the festival of Purim the children shake their rattles (Haman "klopfers") vigorously every time the name of Haman, who was counsellor of King Ahasuerus, monarch of ancient Persia, appears in the book. This quaint custom has been observed from time immemorial.—London Evening Standard.

Idleness Looked On as Crime.

In industrial Switzerland there is no place for the idle. It is considered the duty of the authorities to assist, in every way possible, persons honestly seeking employment, and it is also held to be their duty to punish the work-shirker and to force him to earn his bread before he may eat it. No toleration is shown to the loafer, begging is prohibited by law, and vagrancy is classified as a crime in the legal code of the Confederation.

Always Matter of Growth.

The leader, like the poet, must be born, and then born again, for the spirit must quicken the spirit, and life inspire life, before knowledge can grow to wisdom.—Alice Freeman Palmer.

Cold Storage Cat Meat.

A man down in Massachusetts found a blacksnake frozen in the snow. He took the snake up carefully so that it would not break—it was as stiff as the rod of Moses in the original form—and took it home and put it by the fire. And it thawed out. It wriggled around in the heat and would have been all right again if it hadn't been for the family cat. The cat ate it.

Some men cut loose when they get tight.

Trick Didn't Work Out.

A Castleford, Yorkshire, England, claimant to an old-age pension produced a prayer book the other day, with his name entered on it as having been born in 1839. The ink used, however, was composed of a dye not invented till 1867, and instead of a pension the claimant got 14 days for attempted fraud.

Many a girl strives to make a name for herself rather than attempt to make a loaf of bread.

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Manuel Quezon.

The attention of visitors and delegates at Baltimore during convention week was frequently attracted by a dapper young man wearing a brown face and a white suit. He was Manuel Quezon, and he explained to those who were curious enough to ask that he was a delegate to the convention from the Philippine Islands. Quezon is a pretty good American, and now that he has seen what a mighty country we have here he is more pleased than ever to think that the stars and stripes still float over his native land.

Take Life Joyously.

Take life too seriously, and what is it worth? If the morning wake us to no new joys, if the evening bring us not the hope of new pleasures, is it worth while to dress and undress? Does the sun shine on me today that I may reflect on yesterday? That I may endeavor to foresee and control what can neither be foreseen nor controlled—the destiny of tomorrow.—Goethe.

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ALLOWS THEM CHANCE
TO KEEP PICTURE

PARIS, July 4.—So far France has failed to raise the 528,000 francs (\$105,000) necessary to purchase Regnault's "Salome," which picture was bought at auction by Knoedler of New York, and within a few weeks the time allowed by the owner will be up.

Great resentment was manifested at the time Knoedler purchased the painting, the crowd hissing loudly in spite of the American's refusal to bid against any French museum, starting to bid only when French museums announced they had quit. Newspapers, seemingly ignorant of Knoedler's gift of a three months' option to the Louvre museum at a price exactly the same as he paid for the picture, continue to drag Americans over the coals for buying French works of art.

MAUTHE URGES THE SUPPORT OF WILSON

FOND DU LAC, Wis., July 4.—That Wisconsin progressives will throw their support to Governor Woodrow Wilson in the coming presidential campaign, was indicated on Wednesday, when William Mauthe, vice president of the Wisconsin Republican Progressive league and Sixth district delegate to the republican national convention, in answer to the question as to whether or not he would support Wilson, declared: "The republican platform is so deceptive that I can not support either the platform or its candidate. What is more, I can not see any necessity for organizing a new party as long as there is a progressive nominee in the field."

TACT BETTER THAN COMMAND

Good Idea to Let "Less Criticism and More Comradeship" Be Your Guiding Motto.

"Less criticism and more comradeship," would be a helpful maxim for all homes.

It is easy enough to be pleasant to the casual acquaintance, but the great difficulty lies in being decent to those who are devoted to us—to those who are ever willing to forgive our shortcomings. There is no duty above treating your friends courteously and trying to illuminate the general monotony of the lives of those you love.

In home life tact will succeed often where command will fail. Suggestions will go farther than argument. Direction is so much better than dictation. Criticism of loved ones is a vice that takes possession of one like a stimulant, or a drug, once it is encouraged. It may begin in our so-called high moral standard and hatred of sin. But once it becomes a habit, it is indulged in for the satisfaction it gives.

An Eden can be ruined by constant fault-finding, selfishness, and withholding the words of praise. A paradise can be created by small kindnesses and by thinking sweet and helpful thoughts of those about you.

The next time you feel like criticizing a loved one, force yourself to say something complimentary to him instead.

Try it and see if you won't be happier.

Plant Secret.

An old and experienced florist taught me many valuable and useful things in regard to plants. One of his tricks was that whenever he transplanted any flower or plant he always sifted steel filings into the new soil before he put in the plant. He explained to me that the steel filings rusted when the soil was watered and that the rust made the plants grow rapidly. In the long time that I was associated with him I never knew his method of treatment to fail.

There's nothing green about the grass widow who goes after a rich bachelor.

LIVESTOCK BIG STATE INDUSTRY

Annual Production of Milk, Butter and Cheese Is Worth \$80,000,000; Has 1,504,000 Cows

Wisconsin is essentially a livestock state. By the annual production of \$80,000,000 worth of milk, butter and cheese, yielded by its 1,504,000 cows it leads the Union in dairying. Within its borders, too, are 650,000 or more horses, 1,100,000 cattle other than milch cows, 2,051,000 swine and 847,000 sheep.

Wisconsin leads the nation in the breeding of Guernsey cattle, and it is second only to New York in the number of breeders of Holsteins. Already there are thousands of profit-producing animals kept upon farms of Wisconsin; but there is feed, or potential feed, for thousands more. Nowhere is there a soil or climate better suited to the production of grasses and hays; nowhere is there better and purer water. Corn, with the exception of a few isolated areas, can be grown to the very shores of Lake Superior. In no state has the silo been more popular nor widely used than in Wisconsin. Where corn will not ripen, roots furnish an excellent succulence for milch cows and other stock. Wisconsin is also rapidly becoming an alfalfa state; the farmers are beginning to understand it culture and are putting in thousands of acres upon which once grew luxuriant but ruinous crops of timothy. Where alfalfa has not succeeded, clover is, or will eventually be, doing duty. The small grains of Wisconsin, even now famed the world over, supplement the corn and alfalfa, leaving nothing lacking for successful live-stock raising.

Great and important, however, as the livestock industry of Wisconsin now is, it is destined to become still greater. So many are the reasons why they should raise more and better animals that the farmers of Wisconsin are determined that this shall continue to be the leading stock producing state of the Union.

The raising of livestock is, of course, the type of farming for which Wisconsin is pre-eminently adapted. The state is situated east of the great grain belt of the United States. The mills from Minneapolis pour hundreds of tons of bran and other grain products across our borders. At our very door lie Duluth, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Milwaukee and Chicago, furnishing markets large enough to assimilate anything we can possibly raise in the line of meats and dairy products.

FALSE IDEAS OF PERFECTION

Absurd Development of Muscle Has Little Part in Production of Perfect Athlete.

A recent portrait of a lumpy athlete, who invites others, and not without success, to try his system of physical development, shows that the false idea of physical perfection which obtained for so many years, and which demanded huge and knobby muscles of its disciples, has not yet quite died out. This type of manly perfection, once useful perhaps to hang armor upon, was thought to possess the sanction of the golden age of artistry when the lubberly Farnese Hercules came to light, to be hailed as a supreme product of the Greeks. We know it now for an example of decadent Greek taste, fit companion of the absurd and sensational Laocoon. It is laughable but a type of the strong man of vaudeville with his clumsy masses of beef and his brain of a spoiled child, fit only to push his awkward dumb bells into the air, an enviable sum of achievement truly after a lifetime of work by a civilized human being. No less than strength, are speed and grace demanded of the ideal athlete, likewise a face of refinement and intelligence to tell of a brain within to comprehend art, music and literature, and the ability to plan victories either of peace or war. Look upon the Apollo Belvidere, which embodies the true dreams of health and mental and physical efficiency, with its face of exquisite beauty above a form whose lines are tranquil poetry, yet shadow forth their readiness to start into sinewy vigor when the call for action comes. Even the Indian, the perfect savage, never resembled the Farnese monstrosity, the emulators of which find their place in modern life so much better filled by the derrick.—New York Medical Record.

It's a shame to spill milk, but it isn't a crying shame.

A GROUP OF BEAUTIES

The showing of Ladies' Watches is more than usually interesting. We have added a large number of new designs and styles to our already large assortment. Where there is so much beauty and merit, a choice may be difficult, but prices will help to a selection. Ladies' Watches from \$9 to \$75. Good value at all figures.

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THIS CHICAGO JUDGE SHOULD WEAR TIGHTS

Chicago people will not be at all surprised to see Municipal Judge Rooney going about the streets of their city wearing tight. He at least has officially approved of tight fitting garments. Recently a tailor came into Judge Rooney's court, ask-



ing \$45 damages because one Evans had refused to pay for a suit which the tailor had made for him. Evans' refusal to pay had been based on the fact that the clothes were too tight fitting.

"I have to use a shoe horn to get into the clothes," Evans told the court, "and it takes a corkscrew to get me out. Besides, they make me look like a telegraph pole."

"Come with me," said Judge Rooney, and took the defendant into his chambers together with the suit of clothes in question. When the two emerged Evans was arrayed in his new garments.

"I have satisfied myself that you can get into them single handed," said the judge, "and I think they present a very good appearance on you. Judgement for \$45."

PERSONALS

Auto repairs. Hirt Machine Co. Miss Emma Bake, Milwaukee is spending the Fourth with her parents in this city.

Dr. Weston, specialist, 4th & Main. Mrs. P. Finley and daughter, St. Paul are visiting Mrs. Joseph Bouché, 1227 Breen Bay street.

For rent, 8 room house, with bath, 410 Cameron Ave., \$16. Phone 706-A. Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Gough of Sparta visited friends in La Crosse yesterday.

Dr. Geo. Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

O. B. Blehrud came to the city from Caledonia, Minn., yesterday to remain here for several days. C. H. Herman from Canton, Minn., is visiting in La Crosse today.

P. B. Qualy of Caledonia, Minn., is a business caller in the city today.

Porch shades, 6 ft. \$1.75, 8 ft., \$2.50. Boyer-Furber Furniture Co. Mr. and Mrs. K. O. Johnson, Stoddard, Wis., are calling on friends in La Crosse today.

K. D. Nelson, who was visiting in the city Tuesday, returned to Viroqua yesterday.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women H. C. West from Onalaska visited friends in La Crosse yesterday. Dance at Linker hall tonight.

Joseph K. Kidder of the Evening Wisconsin reporter staff, arrived here from Milwaukee this morning to spend a few days with his parents.

A. A. Walton, this city, is spending a few days visiting friends and relatives in Milwaukee.

Hack and baggage calls made, Gateway City Trlr. Line, phone 179. E. P. Gleason, this city, is spending a few days transacting business in Milwaukee.

Miss Alice Parker, La Crosse, is the guest of Milwaukee relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Schaller and daughter Ruth of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Tefft and son William of Davenport, Iowa, and Mrs. Low Palmer of Mitchell, S. D., came to spend a few weeks with their mother, Mrs. Frank Schaller, 1311 South Fourth street.

American Cocoa the Best.

Now that cocoa has become such a popular and necessary drink, the American factories are making the best in the world. They buy only the highest class of cocoa beans and use the most improved machinery. Most imported cocoas are not ground sufficiently fine, being more or less ground like pepper, while the good American cocoa is as fine and smooth as the best wheat flour, and thus held in solution more readily in milk or water.

First to Use Chloroform.

Chloroform as an anaesthetic was first used on the 30th of September, 1846, by Dr. W. T. G. Morton, a dentist, of Boston, in a case of tooth extraction, and thereafter by him in many difficult operations. The news of the discovery reached England in December, 1846, and British dentists immediately began to use it. Sir James Simpson, a Scotch physician (1811-1870) was the first to use it in hospital practice and this he did in 1847. His discovery was considered independent of that by the Boston dentist and in 1866 he was knighted. He had a public funeral when he died and a statue of him in bronze stands in Edinburgh.

Impressive "I."

"A public man should endeavor to impress his meaning in as simple and direct a fashion as possible. He should make a practice of using words of one syllable." "I go further than that," replied the energetic statesman. "I depend almost entirely on the brief and beautiful word of one letter."

If It's Only a Small Thing. It is an excellent thing for everybody to learn to do something well.

NURSES' SCHOOLS NEED IMPROVING

Government Pamphlet Declares Students Are Taken with Too Little Education

COMMERCIALLY EXPLOITED

Ignorant Girls Placed on Special Duty by Private Hospitals for High Fee

Conditions making for inefficiency in schools for the professional training of nurses are dealt with in a bulletin entitled "The Educational Status of Nursing," which is shortly to be issued for free distribution by the United States Bureau of Education. According to the bulletin, there are schools which admit candidates at as early an age as 17, asking no educational qualifications except common-school education, and sometimes not even that. Other training schools require as much as 12 hours a day of nursing from their students in addition to attendance at classes and lectures.

Pupils Exploited
Not infrequently, also, the students are subjected to certain forms of commercial exploitation. These conditions exist, notwithstanding a number of advances made in recent years in the professional training of nurses. The bulletin is written by Miss M. Adelaide Nutting, director of the department of nursing and health, teachers college, Columbia university, New York, and formerly superintendent of nurses and principal of the training school of Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore.

The first count in Miss Nutting's indictment of nurses' training schools reads in the government publication as follows:

"The condition in training schools which is causing grave concern among those who have long been struggling to improve the education of nurses is the persistence of low standards for admission. The enormous multiplication of hospitals and sanatoria throughout the country, with the consequent unrestricted development of training schools as a part of their working organization, has led to a very large demand for students essentially for utilitarian purposes. No adequate supply could be secured through the usual source with the maintenance of suitable standards, and such standards have therefore been lowered or sacrificed to meet the current needs of institutions."

"The large, best equipped, and well-known schools naturally attract the most desirable candidates, yet not one of them is exempt from the necessity of admitting and keeping in the school pupils of pitifully low educational attainments and mental ability in order that there may be no disturbance or breakdown of the system which requires the hospital to be 'manned' at all points throughout its departments with student nurses."

Nurses Too Young

Most student nurses are lacking in two main respects—they are neither old enough, nor well-educated enough, to enter upon the course of training for this profession. Regarding age conditions, Miss Nutting says:

"Until the last few years the general age requirement for admission to training schools was 23 years, and it was only in exceptional instances that students were admitted under that age. But of recent years, in the effort to secure enough students to staff the hospital, this age requirement has been steadily lowered until now in the majority of schools (55.2 per cent) students are admitted at 20 years or under, and in 13.15 per cent of all schools they are admitted at 18 years of age. A further descent may be perhaps foreshadowed in the record of the two schools admitting that they receive students of 17 years of age."

"While there is little reason to suppose that the age standard could in the present day, be kept at 23 or even 22, yet it is a grave question whether the admission of young, immature girls of 18 and 19 to hospital wards, and to the heavy physical demands and the overwhelming responsibilities and anxieties of such work as inevitably awaits them there by day or by night, should be considered. No school dare assume that it will be able to provide influences and safeguards strong enough and far-reaching enough to protect either patient or pupil under these conditions."

As for the educational requirements of candidates, Miss Nutting presents these figures:

"From the reports of 692 training schools made in 1911 to the bureau of education, it appears that about 35 per cent of the total number state a requirement of 'high school or its equivalent'; about 23 per cent call for one year of high school work (or an equivalent); 28 per cent call

Save the Babies.

INFANT MORTALITY is something frightful. We can hardly realize that of all the children born in civilized countries, twenty-two per cent, or nearly one-quarter, die before they reach one year; thirty-seven per cent, or more than one-third, before they are five, and one-half before they are fifteen!

We do not hesitate to say that a timely use of Castoria would save a majority of these precious lives. Neither do we hesitate to say that many of these infantile deaths are occasioned by the use of narcotic preparations. Drops, tinctures and soothing syrups sold for children's complaints contain more or less opium or morphine. They are, in considerable quantities, deadly poisons. In any quantity, they stupefy, retard circulation and lead to congestions, sickness, death. Castoria operates exactly the reverse, but you must see that it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. Castoria causes the blood to circulate properly, opens the pores of the skin and allays fever.

Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*.

WOMEN RIVALS FOR POLITICAL HONORS EXCHANGE KISSES IN MIDST OF BATTLE



SAN FRANCISCO, Cal.—With a fond embrace, kisses on either cheek and mutual protestations of affection and esteem, the political campaign of the biennial convention of the General Federation of Women's clubs at San Francisco opened when the rival candidates for the general presidency, Mrs. Percy V. Pennybacker of Texas, and Mrs. Philip N. Carpenter of New York, met.

From the opening of the convention the fight for the high honor of securing the national office as continued unabated between the two women. Both have been "on the job" all the time, greeting old friends, welcoming new ones, giving interviews and marshalling their forces. It is a finish fight, but it is a clean one and never once has the old friendship between the two women been in danger.

for nothing beyond the common school; the remaining 14 per cent either makes no educational requirements whatever, and say so in unmistakable terms, and say so in preference."

Hours Are Long
When the girl finally enters upon her training course, she usually finds, according to the bureau of education bulletin, that it consists of prolonged, and sometimes excessive, hours of nursing, while instruction in the theory of the subject is minimized. In addition, Miss Nutting charges, the students are often "exploited."

"Not only is all the general nursing in hospitals done through the services of the students," says Miss Nutting, "but in certain instances the students themselves become an actual source of direct and considerable profit to the institution. This happens when the student enters a private hospital for two or three years and is placed at a very early stage of her work upon special duty with a single patient, a considerable fee being charged for her services. In some instances it is said that pupils are kept at such special individual work during the greater portion of the course of their so-called training, the fees for their services going directly to the management."

"But this does not exhaust the methods by which hospitals can utilize for their own profits the services of their students."

"Out of the entire 692 hospitals from which statistics were recently received, 248 were found sending out their pupils into families in the community for private nursing, for periods ranging from 2 to 26 weeks, the payment for this service in almost all instances going directly to the hospital."

"It can be readily seen how the effort to guard the education of nurses by suitable legislation would interfere with such exploiting of the pupil nurse, and it is a well-known fact that the most persistent opponents of such legislation in the various states have been found among those representing such hospitals—those whose financial interests were involved in maintaining the status

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Among the remedial measures suggested by Miss Nutting, in order to raise the standard of professional training for nurses, she advocates that the hospitals adopt the policy of paying for a considerable part of their nursing, as well as of domestic services which the students are now performing, and she also maintains that "the first step toward developing proper schools of nursing lies in separating them from the hospitals and its control and placing them upon an independent basis." She adds: "While hospital and training school are fundamentally interdependent, there is no more reason why the hospital should own and control the training school than the medical school. The basis of relationship should be one of close and efficient co-operation."

A Grasp of the Hand.

There are times when a grasp of the hand is almost a sacred thing. In sorrow it may impart comfort or convey sympathy more effectively than words. Again, it may be a warrant of the reliability of friendship or a pledge of honor; also an expression of approval or of admiration. Did you ever hear of a man's growing lean by the reading of "Romeo and Juliet" or blowing his brains out because Desdemona was malign?—Oliver Wendell Holmes.

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SCHOOLS GO INTO ACTIVE FARMING

North Carolina Starts the Move to Pay Expenses of Education by Agriculture

PUPILS AND PARENTS WORK
Cultivation of School Farms Done by Community in Old-fashioned "Working-bees"

Needing more money for their schools than was being raised by taxation, the inhabitants of Wake county, North Carolina, adopted the unique expedient of cultivating the land surrounding the schools, the money obtained from the sale of the crops being used for the benefit of the school. Seventeen such school farms were operated last year. They were worked by 1,200 persons, men, women and children, who contributed their labor free. The net gain from the enterprise was nearly \$1,200.

This new movement to raise additional funds for the country school is described by A. C. Monahan, assistant in rural education in the United States Bureau of Education, in a monograph just issued for free distribution by the bureau. Mr. Monahan writes:

"The plan has been called the 'school-farm movement' and comprehends the establishment of small farms of from 2 to 10 acres in connection with every country school. This farm is to be cultivated by the children and their parents, working together on certain days termed 'school-farm working bees'."

"The 'working bees' are gatherings for social purposes, as well as for the cultivation of the school land. Each school farm is usually given to one crop. A regular system of rotation is planned. The agricultural work is done under the supervision of the best farmer in the community, so that good methods are used. Every person, therefore, taking part is given the opportunity to observe the most successful systems of raising the crops under cultivation."

"The income received from the sale of the products raised on the school farm is used for general school purposes. It is hoped by this movement to accomplish three things: First, to make money to be used in supplementing the school fund; second, to offer an opportunity to make the teaching of agriculture in the rural school entirely practical and to illustrate how pleasant farm work can be made under proper conditions; and, third, to offer rural communities opportunities for gatherings to develop the social side of farm life, with the school house the social center of the community and the principal occupation of the people—farming—the center of interest."

"The first work was done at Hol-

ly Springs where, two years ago, two acres of land were planted in cotton. The lighter work was done by the women and children of the community, while the men did the heavy work. A community dinner was a part of the program for each gathering.

Raise Many Crops
"Two bales of cotton were raised, netting the school \$119. The next year the plan was tried at eleven schools, the crops raised including cotton, corn, tobacco, and wheat. On the eleven farms 1,200 persons participated in the work. The net profit was nearly \$1,200. Last year six additional farms were established, making a total of seventeen farms. "The children of the county want these school farms, and the older people are in sympathy with the idea. The results have been an increased interest in the schools and the school work, an improvement in the appearance of the buildings and grounds, and the lengthening of the school year; also the development of a better community spirit and an improvement in general farming in the county."

The school-farm movement was developed under the leadership of Z. V. Judd, the county superintendent of public instruction.

CARRIED A SLIVER OF GLASS YEARS

WASHINGTON, July 4.—Rather a remarkable experience was that of George E. Diggs, head waiter in a fashionable apartment, who, for almost a lifetime, unknowingly carried in his anatomy a piece of glass one-eighth of an inch wide and five-eighths of an inch long. Although the glass had been hidden in the flesh of his jaw for a quarter of a century, Diggs did not begin to feel the effects of it until recently. He went to a physician who prescribed a liniment, which had the effect of drawing the glass to the surface of the skin. Feeling a hard substance in his jaw Diggs pulled it out and found it was a fragment of glass. He explains that when but four years old he pulled a window down on himself and that pieces of glass stuck in his jaw, but at the time it was thought that all of them had been removed.

THREE ARE KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

DULUTH, Minn., July 4.—Life was instantly crushed from the bodies of Mrs. William White, Duluth; Miss Gladys Richardson, Bridgeport, Conn.; Langford Maddigan, Duluth, the latter a chauffeur, at about midnight on a country pike near Duluth, when a touring car in which they were returning home, skidded from the road and overturned, pinning its occupants beneath.

WIRELESS A LIFESAVER.

LONDON, July 4.—Wireless telegraphy is destined to become the most effective of all life-saving equipment of ocean-going vessels, under the international agreement reached by the wireless conference which is to be signed Friday by representatives of the United States and marine powers of Europe. The next conference will be held in Washington in June 1917.

TAFT BEGINS VACATION.

WASHINGTON, July 4.—President Taft's annual vacation began yesterday when he left for a week-end stay at his summer home at Beverly, Mass. He will, however, return to his desk here next Monday for congressional business. He does not plan to make a long stay at Beverly until after congress adjourns.

Day of the Whip.

The dreaded "cat" is probably the best known of old naval punishments. Whipping was provided for at least as long ago as the fifteenth century, and in Drake's time the regular trouncing of the ship's boys by the boatswain on Monday morning was regarded as the only means of insuring a fair wind for the rest of the week.

Some men get rich on farms and others fail. The reason? Some farm systematically and some do not.

WORK ON RIVER IS STOPPED TODAY

Captain W. A. Thompson of the government engineering department received word from Washington today, to hold up all river improvement pending the passage of the river and harbor appropriation bill which is now before the conference committee of the house and senate. The money which is left from the last appropriation is practically exhausted and no further work can be carried on until more funds are provided. The bill passed the house but was amended by the senate and referred to the conference committee for action. After they act on the bill it must receive the approval of both the house and senate before it goes into effect. Mr. Thompson today declared that there is no doubt that the bill will eventually be passed. He says the work will be held up from one to four weeks by the amendment of the senate. The work of dredging Mississippi slough near the Isle la Plume will have to be deferred until after the passage of the bill.

TINTAH IS NOW PILE OF ASHES

WHEATON, Minn., July 4.—The village of Tintah, in the northern part of Traverse county, was destroyed by fire late yesterday. As far as can be learned, every business building except the blacksmith shop is wiped out.

CROWDS JOIN IN CELEBRATIONS

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baseball game will be played and other forms of amusements and sports will be held. The program will contain several numbers on the list of races and games to which women will be eligible. Tent attractions have also been arranged for and sporting bulletins will be posted throughout the afternoon.

Insane as Ever
After saving pennies for ages and ages, as the small boy looks at it, but in reality for weeks, pent up anticipation breaks loose with unbounded restraint which characterizes the American Independence day and this year is no exception. Despite the glaring frowns of elders and the rigid attempt at enforcement of the law by the blue coated brigades of patrolmen, the celebration of the Fourth continues to be as insane as ever and the resounding rolls of thunder of the thousands of firecrackers, is just as conspicuous as twenty years ago.

Captain Dugan has enlarged his force for the occasion and hopes to cope with the situation, or rather to come as near enforcing order as is possible when thousands of youngsters break loose, intent on making everybody realize that they are in existence. Doctors and firemen have been prepared for weeks, one with an extra supply of bandages and antiseptic serum while the others have been refilling chemical tanks and are momentarily awaiting the call of fire.

JOHNSON WILL NOT HAVE WALKAWAY

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And it's this quickness and cleverness that Johnson counts on to do the business with a man like Flynn who doesn't pretend to any fifty foot or hand work. But Flynn said yesterday in my hearing that he was not going to stand off and let Johnson box him to defeat. He's going to fight Bat Nelson style, boring in and pounding Johnson's weak point, the body. Flynn knows he couldn't face the smoke with a ball bat by pounding his head and he's going after more vulnerable spots.

I am inclined to believe that though Flynn is a 185 pound man and much smaller in every way than Johnson and hopelessly out of reach of the champ's head, his boring tactics may bring him something better than a good drubbing. Not that I am tipping Flynn to win. But if Johnson's lack of condition and overconfidence are of the same variety as those displayed by former champs he may wake up on the fit to dig through the want ads looking for a job on the Diamond Joe package. Every champ that has been roped in and properly branded by a later champ, has met defeat for the same weaknesses of which Johnson is guilty here in Las Vegas.

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Old Country GREEN SOAP

CHICAGOANS GO SOUTH

BUSINESS OF WINDY CITY IS BECOMING INTERESTED IN OPPORTUNITIES IN SOUTH AMERICA.

CHICAGO, July 4.—The business horizon of Chicago is extending rapidly southward as one result of the Panama canal construction, several large delegations of manufacturers and merchants which went to inspect the canal thus gaining a personal knowledge of business and social conditions in Pan-America. The awakening has spurred both commerce and investments. The packing interests began investing in packing houses in Argentine several years ago and now their interests are enormous. The coffee and rubber exports of Brazil have attracted many millions to that country and recently Murdo Mackenzie, for years head of the American Stock Growers' association, bought and stocked an empire in Brazil. Now a syndicate from Chicago is going to build a new city, capital of one of the federated states of Brazil, and in the process are expected to profit enormously from the franchises and real estate operations. C. B. Holmes, formerly president of the Chicago City Railway Co. and head of W. R. Holton of Chicago, and a mining expert will leave for Brazil to prepare estimates and reports on which several thousand acres will be platted, graded and paved. The city is in the heart of the diamond district and it is said that in the adjacent counties the known deposits of diamonds and other gems amount to over \$100,000,000. Three railroads, it is said, are now building to this terminus. In spite of the disturbed conditions in Mexico, it is said that there are more purchases than sales of Mexican properties, particularly in the southern states which are outside of the terrorized districts. American buyers of mahogany and other hard woods recently have made large investments in Central America.

STENOGRAPHERS TO MEET.

WASHINGTON, July 5.—What is tachygraphy? is a query that popped into the minds of many of those who read a notice given out recently by a government department. It was to the effect: "The Spanish Minister at Washington announces that the Tenth International Congress on Tachygraphy, organized by the Spanish Tachygraphic Federation, will be held at Madrid, September 26, to October 2, 1912. An invitation is extended to the stenographers of the United States to take part in this congress."

Artificial Hair Saved Life.
The way in which her hair was dressed was all that saved the life of an Indianapolis woman the other day. She was walking along a residential street, when an alarm clock fell out of a window in the upper story of a house, and struck her on the head.

A Declaration of Independence

was all right for ambitious colonies, but does not do for an ambitious jeweler. I frankly make a declaration of independence upon you for your favors. But I hope, by assiduous attention to your wishes, by furnishing you the best and prettiest and latest goods at the lowest prices, and by the expert workmanship which will be put upon your repairing, to induce you, in turn, to depend upon me for your needs in my line, so that Dependence day, for both of us, will last the year 'round.

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MAJESTIC BUILDING

Old Country GREEN SOAP

PITY THE POOR BALL PLAYER—HIS IS AN UNHAPPY ROLE



The Coffee Can Is Becoming A Sensitive Subject

A couple of years ago one could get a pound of fairly decent coffee for from 15 to 25 cts. Now that same coffee costs from 25 cts. to 45 cts. per pound and a further raise of ten cents is in prospect.

"There's a Reason"

Four years ago Brazil found that in spite of the fact that it was producing over 90 per cent of the coffee consumed in the United States, its rich planters were not squeezing as much money out of Americans as they could and the Brazilian government was not receiving enough revenue from a product that was one of that country's chiefest products.

And so Brazil determined to levy tribute upon rich and prosperous America even as the British taxed our tea in olden days; only this modern type of piracy was engineered and executed in a kid glove way.

Certain foreign capitalists (German, English and others) were called into consultation. They devised a scheme called "valorization." They started by buncing our American Congress into removing the import tax on coffee, and that done Brazil immediately transferred the income to its own treasury by imposing an export tax. This was followed by perfecting a system whereby the Brazilian government could control the output and the price of coffee.

The net result has been that Brazil for the last three years has sold just what grades of coffee it wanted to sell, at any price it chose to fix; and in consequence the Brazilian government has shared with a syndicate of foreign money kings a profit of Hundreds of Millions of Dollars, every cent of which has come from the pockets of the American People.

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A mule drawing a furniture van down Broadway got tired of the job and lay down. Soon a crowd gathered and ventured all manner of advice to the driver, relates the New York Times.
Louis Scheff, an electrician, of 152 Amsterdam avenue, suggested that twisting the mule's ears would force it to rise, and put his idea into practice, but ineffectually, while the crowd shouted "Whisper in its ear."
Scheff next tried pulling the mule's tail. Mrs. Anna Schott of 204 Omsterdam avenue, a passenger on a Broadway surface car, who is a member of the Humane society, construed the electrician's efforts as cruelty and had Scheff arrested.
Detective Sharp of the West Sixty-eighth Street station, who comes from the south and knows mules, took one look at the fallen mule and said: "You'll never get that mule up—it's lying on its left side."
"What's that got to do with it?" demanded the driver.
"Everything," replied Sharp.
Ropes were tied to the mule's hoofs, and it was turned over on its right side. Sharp gently kicked the animal in the side and it scrambled to its feet.

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SLIDS USED IN THE YUKON

Not Constructed Along Lines of Beauty, but for Hard Work They Are Perfection.

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HIS SYMPATHIES WITH ELK

Somewhat Natural, Since Animal Rescued Engineer From Extremely Awkward Position.

A curious story of adventure comes from Montana. While a freight train was lying over at a small mountain station, the engineer borrowed a shotgun and started out for a short hunt. Finding nothing, he was returning to the train when a cow came running at him, and before he realized his danger, she tossed him in the air.
Getting to his feet as quickly as possible, he dodged behind a tree, and then, to his dismay, found that the gun barrel was bent so as to be useless. The next ten minutes were very lively ones, while the cow chased the engineer round and round the tree. Just when he was about to succumb from fatigue, an angry snort was heard, and a big elk appeared upon the scene, head down and prepared for a fight.
So was the cow, and in another moment the two animals dashed at each other. The engineer watched the combat for a few minutes, until prudence suggested that he should make a retreat as soon as he could. He regained the train in safety, and never knew the outcome of the battle, but he hopes the elk was the victor.

Why You Sigh.
When anyone sighs unconsciously it means they have been taking short breaths and not drawing sufficient oxygen into the lungs. Finally, the lungs must have more oxygen, they are hungry for it, and so the lungs exert their right and actually force you to take in a great breath of air. This gives them the needed oxygen, and they can go on with their work for a while longer, when they will force another "sigh," which is in reality helping themselves to more oxygen in spite of yourself.

At Bottom of Great Problem.
People are coming more and more to recognize that the industrial problem lies at the bottom of many others.

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THE DAILY MARKETS

(Quoted by John C. Burns)

Oranges, Cal., 150-216 \$3.50
Oranges, 250-288 brand \$3.25
Lemons, 300-360 box \$5.50
Bananas, bunch \$1.25-1.75
Walnut dates, box \$1.20
Persian dates, per pound 5 1/2 c
Pineapples, Florida, crate \$3.50
Onions, yellow, per crate \$1.50
Onions, Crystal Wax, crate \$1.60
Cabbage, large crate \$3.00
Messina lemons, box \$5.50
Watermelons 20 to 25 c
Peaches, bushel \$2.50
Plums, bushel \$2.50
Peaches, 4 basket crate \$1.25
Potatoes, old, bushel \$1.10
Potatoes, new, bushel \$1.60
Cantaloupes, crate \$5.00

Livestock
(By Langdon & Boyd Packing Co.)
Hogs \$6.85 to \$7.10
Steers \$3.00 to \$5.50
Spring lambs \$7.00
Sheep \$3.00
Cows \$2.00 to \$4.50
Heifers \$2.50 to \$4.75

Poultry
Chickens 12 to 13 c
Turkeys, pound 12 to 14 c
Ducks, pound 11 c
Geese, pound 9 c

Provisions
Lard, per pound 12 to 12 1/2 c
Shoulders, per pound 11 c
Hams, per pound 14 1/2 to 15 1/2 c
Bacon, per pound 14 1/2 to 15 c
Dry beef, per pound 17 to 20 c

Butter and Eggs
(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)
Creamery butter, pound 25 to 27 c
Dairy butter, pound 22 to 24 c
Eggs, fresh, dozen 18 c
Eggs, seconds, dozen 15 c

Flour and Feed
(Quoted by the Listman Milling Co.)
Patent, barrel \$6.10
Straight, barrel \$5.90

Grain
(Quoted by Thomas-Phalon Co.)
Barley 70 to 90 c
Corn 65 to 73 c
Oats 60 to 55 c
Wheat 90c to 1.05
Rye 75 to 78 c
(Prices do not include sacks)

Bran, per ton \$25.00
Shorts \$26.00
White middlings, per ton \$29.00
Red Dog \$30.00

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Cheese
(Quoted by Hy. Anderegg)

Fancy full Cream Brick Cheese, in cases 14 c
Fancy full Cream Brick Cheese, in half cases 14 1/2 c
Fancy full Cream Twins 15 1/2 c
Fancy full Cream Limburger 17 c
Fancy full Cream Swiss round 22 c
Fancy full Cream Swiss Block (old) 22 c
German Hand Cheese, per box 90 c
Primo, per pound 7 c

Delicate Scales.
In the personal laboratory of Sir William Ramsay, at University college, London, is a new pair of scales so delicately adjusted that they will weigh a seven-millionth part of an ounce. The room is in semi-darkness. So delicate are these wonderful scales that their balance is disturbed by the alteration of temperature caused by the turning on of an electric light at the other end of the room. The operator has to leave them for an hour in darkness—after he has tip-toed from the room so that his footfall should not set up any vibration—and then read them swiftly before any change in the temperature has had time to affect them. The scales, only a few inches long, appears a mere cobweb of glass with its frail supports. It is not made of glass, however, explains Sir William, but of silica, which expands and contracts under the effect of heat far less than glass.

If a fight is a draw both sides are pretty apt to claim a victory.



SLAUGHTER SALE OF WASH GOODS

We sometimes do radical things—this is one of them. As a rule, business takes a decided slump right after the Fourth of July, but our dress goods manager proposes to make Friday and Saturday of this week two banner days in his department. With this end in view he's going to put absurdly low prices on several lots of wash materials, and he's going to do it, too, at a time when his stock is in the pink of condition. Remember this is not a clean-up—no, it's simply a determined effort to make Friday and Saturday RECORD BREAKERS in dress goods.

CHOICE LAWNS

Thousands of yards, season's choicest lawns, in desirable white grounds, pink grounds, light blue grounds and navy grounds, showing striking effects in polka dots, rose bud, or floral designs, of pink, blue, helio and white combinations. Priced at choice per yard for this sale at only

37⁷/₈c

Serpentine Crepes

Unlimited range of pretty patterns and colors to choose from, also plain shades, including white. Especially desirable for kimono, dressing gowns, etc. Quality that sold regularly at 20c—priced for this sale at per yard

11c

Lawns, Batistes, Dimities, Novelty Swisses

Our entire stock of sheer materials, lawns, batistes, dimities, and novelty Swisses—in fact, everything suitable for a cool summer dress, will be found in this lot of light and dark grounds with or without side bands. Owing to the backwardness of the season this year our stock is unusually complete, and the range of pretty and attractive patterns in this assortment unlimited. All 15c, 20c and 25c grades per yard, at this clearing sale, per yard

10c

Our Entire Stock Gingham 17¹/₂c

Nothing reserved—our entire stock, presenting an assemblage of finest imported ginghams, larger than all the other stores in this city combined. Every conceivable color, neat check, elaborate and broken plaids. Values range to 50c, not a piece worth less than 35c per yard. Choice of the entire lot, this sale, at per yard

17¹/₂c

"Fred Butterfield's" Chiffon Lisse

Choice an immense assortment this—the season's most wanted sheer fabric, "Fred Butterfield's" Chiffon Lisse. This lot is not made up of short lengths, or odds and ends, but dozens of full, fresh and clean bolts, showing newest and most desirable colors and patterns, in neat stripes, checks and dots. In addition to this we shall add other Voiles, worth up to 50c, choice of any only, at per yard

25c

English Zephyrs

Per Yard 12¹/₂c

Choice one big assortment fine 42 inch wide English zephyrs, in plain shades, neat stripes and small or medium checks. Also the different widths nurse stripes. All worth 25c yard; for this sale, yard

12¹/₂c

Irish Dimities

Per Yard 15c

Our entire stock about 50 pieces genuine Belfast Irish dimities, very finest made; exclusive designs and colorings; every yard selling at 35c. Specially priced for this sale at per yard

15c

BASEMENT SPECIALS!

AXLE GREASE

Mica axle grease in wood boxes, regular 5c size, each at

3c

Wire Coat Hangers

Heavy coppered wire coat hangers, each

1c

OIL CANS

1 gallon tin oil cans, worth 15c, each

5c

CLOTHES PINS

12 well made hardwood clothes pins, for

1c

TOOTH PICKS

1,500 hardwood tooth picks in large box, for

2c

DINNER SETS

40 piece dinner sets, fancy gold band, finest quality American semi-porcelain, consisting of the following pieces: 6 tea cups and saucers; 6 7-inch plates; 6 5-inch plates; 6 4-inch fruit dishes; 6 butter chips; 1 vegetable dish; 1 9-inch platter; 1 creamer, and 1 sugar; regular value \$4.50, for this sale at

\$2.48

DRESSES

Choice of our stock women's summer dresses, selling regularly to \$20.00, Friday and Saturday—

\$7.99

SUITS

Choice of our stock, 40 women's navy, black and white serge suits, values to \$35.00, Friday and Saturday—

\$7.99

COATS

Choice of our stock, 25 coats, silks, serges and mixtures, selling regularly to \$20.00, Friday and Saturday—

\$7.99

Ready-to-Wear Section
Second Floor

DOERFLINGER'S

BASEMENT SPECIALS!

Star Cut TUMBLERS

Bell and straight shape star cut tumblers. These are all hand cut on blown glass and are worth 15c, while they last, each

6c

PUDDING PANS

6 dozen triple coated blue and white enameled pudding and baking pans, 4 quart size, regular value 25c, while they last, each

10c

WASH BASINS

Large size triple coated wash basins, blue and white, never sold for less than 25c, at each

15c

BROOMS

50 dozen first quality 4-sewed brooms, made of fine grade broom straw, all union made, worth 35c each, at

21c

Preserve Kettles

3 quart heavy grey enameled preserve kettles with heavy bail, worth 15c each, at

5c

WILL TOUR FROM LAKES TO GULF

1912 Glidden Reliability Run Will Be from Detroit South to New Orleans

EARLY IN OCTOBER IS DATE

Definite Date of Run Not Set, but Will Be in Fall; Plan a Panama Trip

From the Great Lakes to the Gulf of Mexico will be the route of the 1912 A. A. A. national reliability tour for the Glidden, Anderson and A. A. A. trophies. Some fifteen hundred miles will be covered between the city of the straits and the Crescent City, and while the concluding part of the journey will be from Memphis to New Orleans, the itinerary of the northern section has not been decided upon by the special committee in charge. This committee includes Colonel Frank M. Joyce of Minneapolis, Lewis S. Spear of Boston, John A. Wilson of Franklin, Pa., W. E. Metzger of Detroit, and W. Moyer of Des Moines. Mr. Wilson represented the committee as its emissary to various cities, including Indianapolis and Detroit, and the selection of the greatest city in the world, from the automobile manufacturing standpoint, came about through the combined activities of the Wolverine Automobile club, Chamber of Commerce, and Dealers' association, in which A. W. Porter, W. E. Metzger and F. E. Spooner played a prominent part.

Indianapolis a Stop
Though Detroit secured the plum, it is among the possibilities, that Indianapolis, another of the important automobile manufacturing cities, will serve as a night stop of the big cavalcade, which promises to outdo in point of interest any similar event ever held in this country. If it had been possible geographically to have done so, the committee would have included Cleveland, which is the remaining one of the three cities which supply nine-tenths of the self propelled vehicles made in the United States.

In the planning of the details of the tour, President Robert P. Hooper of the American Automobile association asked Dr. C. E. Button of Minneapolis to serve as vice chairman of the touring information board which this year will have the event in charge. Dr. Button has had a wide-spread experience in touring competitions, is president of the Minnesota State Automobile association, and last year served as the referee of the state association run from the Twin cities to Helena, Mont.

The pathfinding trip may not take place for several weeks owing to the conditions of the roads, especially in Louisiana. There is pronounced striving for the honor of laying out the route of the "Lakes to Gulf" tour, which will be covered in detail, and will be added to the national routes which the A. A. A. touring bureau is gradually extending in its covering of the entire country.

Early in October
The date of the tour is not decided, but early in October seems to be generally preferred, and a rough estimate of the time consumed will be not more than ten days, including a Sunday stop in a city capable of carrying the party comfortably. Entertainment will be generous from the beginning to the end, and Detroit intends to outdo herself in hospitality. There will be opportunity of visiting the large automobile plants, as well as of enjoying the improved roads which are being constructed in Wayne county. It goes without saying that the Hoosier Motor club, in case Indianapolis is visited, will extend a hearty welcome, along with other local organizations. Memphis is one of the most progressive cities of the south, and may be counted upon to make the stopover there particularly enjoyable. Of course, it goes without saying, that New Orleans will make the visitors feel thoroughly at home. The Crescent city has an atmosphere distinctly its own, from coffee drinking in the old French market to the lavish hospitality of St. Charles street.

After the tour has had its satisfying finale in New Orleans, there will come for those who care to make it a supplementary trip to the Isthmus of Panama, though the committee hesitates to advise taking automobiles there as yet, even though Uncle Sam is engaged in building a fine

The Colonial

Open the Year 'Round
MT. CLEMENS, MICH.

THIS is the largest hotel in Mt. Clemens and is patronized by the very best people. It is handsomely furnished and equipped throughout with all modern conveniences—located in a beautiful park with refined surroundings—best cuisine and service. The baths and water here are very effective in the relief of

Rheumatism, Neuralgia and Nervous Diseases, Blood and Skin Affections, Indigestion, Paralysis, Locomotor Ataxia, Etc.

The Colonial Bath House

is complete in equipment and not excelled by the best in this country. Elevator direct to bath house from each floor of the hotel

For further information regarding treatment, hotel accommodations, etc., address Manager

MT. CLEMENS, MICH.

highway across the strip of land which divides the Atlantic from the Pacific. The tour, however, will give roads building an impetus through the country traversed.

PLAN CIVIL EXAMINATION

An examination for clerk and carrier will be held at the postoffice in this city on November 6, 1912. Age limit, 18 to 45 years, on the date of the examination.

Married women will not be admitted to the examination. This prohibition, however, does not apply to women who are divorced or those who are separated from their husbands and support themselves, but they are eligible for appointment only a clerk.

Applicants must be physically sound, and male applicants must be not less than 5 feet 4 inches in height without boots or shoes, and weigh not less than 125 pounds without overcoat or hat.

For application blanks and for full information relative to the examination, qualifications, duties, salaries, vacations, promotions, etc., address immediately, Oscar F. Paulson, Secretary Board of Civil Service Examiners, Postoffice, La Crosse, Wis.

To Loosen Window.

To loosen windows that move and melt a tablespoonful of lard and put a little between the window frame and casing, and on the roller and rope. It works well, says Suburban Life, at is a good thing to know in the spring time, when frames are swollen from being closed all winter.

Test of Success.

If every day we can feel, if only for a moment, the elation of being alive, the realization of being our selves, of filling our destined role, and trend, you may be sure that you are succeeding.—Bliss Curman.

Economy.

One thrifty woman spent a dollar darning a pillowslip that was a mass of rips, because, she explained, "was such a pity to waste the hem."

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

State of Wisconsin.—In Probate.—La Crosse County Court.

In the matter of the estate

Bernard Walter Boisvert, late of the City of La Crosse, in said county, deceased.

Letters of administration in said matter having been granted, Charles H. Schweizer, of La Crosse Wisconsin, notice is hereby given that six months after the eleventh day of June, A. D. 1912, are allowed to creditors to present their claims against said deceased, and that said Court will on the seventh day of January, A. D. 1913, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at Court House in said County, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased. Dated this eleventh day of June 1912.

By the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.
McCONNELL & SCHWEIZER,
Attorneys.

Old Country GREEN SOAP

MILWAUKEEAN IS JAILED

DENVER, Colo., July 4.—Enter-

ing a plea of guilty on the charge of impersonating a postoffice inspector at Greeley, Colo., to obtain groceries to keep from starving, Theodore Miller of Milwaukee, today was sentenced to serve 15 months in the

federal prison at Leavenworth, Kas.

The international institute of agri-

culture, Rome, Italy, estimates the

production of corn in Argentina this

season at 295,854 bushels.

BEN WINS A HUNDRED BUCKS AND === LOSES IT!

BY HARRY DALLY



July Clearing Sale

Now comes the season "between hay and grass," during which the merchants clear their stock and make ready for fall goods which will begin to arrive soon. As always, we are leaders, and are the first to start housecleaning. Not on a few lines, but in every department have we marked the goods down. Every bit of stock, including all the most desirable of the season's merchandise, are to be sacrificed.

DON'T DELAY—YOU MUST SEE THESE BARGAINS!

SPECIALS

\$1.50 House Dresses
at 95c
Models with high or square neck, in light and dark colorings, and the popular nurse stripe. Clearing sale price **95c**

\$3.95 Crepe Kimonos
Lavender, pinks, tan and grey. Empire models. Worth \$3.95. Clearing sale price **\$2.50**

25c Corset Covers
at 15c
25c Corset Covers, fitted models, plain and lace trimmed. Clearing sale price **15c**

75c Waists at 39c
High and low neck models, embroidered fronts, three-quarter and elbow length sleeves. Clearing sale price **39c**

WE ARE OVERSTOCKED WITH SUMMER SUITS

All \$15 and \$7.50

\$18 Suits at \$7.50

Bought too heavily and have a hundred and fifty Suits that must be closed out at once. Handsome white Serge Suits with silk lining, Norfolk styles. Beautiful white Serge Suits with black hair line stripes. Nobby Fancy Mixture Suits, Norfolk styles, and splendid quality Hard Finished Worsteds in dark colorings. These suits are exceptional values and will wear forever. It is a shame to sell such garments at this low price. Not a suit in the lot that sold for less than \$15.00 and many have sold at \$18.00. Clearing sale price **\$7.50**

\$7.50 and \$10.00 Dresses at \$2.95
Dresses worth up to \$10.00. White Lawn and Linerie, soiled and mussed. Clearing sale price **\$2.95**

SPECIALS

15c Dressing Sacques
at 9c
Lawn Dressing Sacques in a wide range of colors. At this low price we will be obliged to limit them two to a customer. Clearing sale price **9c**

\$2.75 Dresses \$1.39
Blue and Tan Linen finished Dresses, worth \$2.00. Clearing sale price **\$1.39**

75c Muslin Gowns
at 49c
75c Muslin Gowns, high necks, square necks, with lace, embroidery and tucked trimming. Clearing sale price **49c**

50c and 75c Dressing Sacques at 39c
Percale and challie dressing sacques in dark and medium light colors. **39c**
Reduced to **39c**

\$7.50 Dresses at \$4.95
Pure Linen Dresses, tan, pink and blue. Worth \$7.50. Clearing sale price **\$4.95**

89c Corsets For 49c
A new medium high bust model with long hips. Four elastic web supporters. A good serviceable corset. **49c**
Closing sale price **49c**

89c Combinations, 49c
89c Combination, with embroidery trimming on waist and skirt. Clearing sale price **49c**

SILK DRESSES
Silk Foulard Dresses, tan and brown. Worth \$9.50. Clearing sale price **\$4.95**

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WOMEN'S READY TO WEAR GARMENTS

ROBERTSON COMPANY

405-407 Main St.

White Lawn Dresses
White Lawn Dresses, lace trimmed. Worth \$5.00. Clearing sale price **\$2.50**

FRATERNITY MEN DEFEND CHAPTERS

Refute Cornell President's Assertion that Non-members Stand Higher in Class

D. K. E. IS WEALTHY BODY

Forty-two Chapters Own Forty Buildings at Colleges Throughout the Country

Greek letter fraternity men have begun a campaign to refute the recent assertions of Dr. Jacob Gould Schurman, president of Cornell University, that non-fraternity men stand higher in their classes.

"I went through one of the largest universities in this country," said a non-fraternity man a few days ago, "and I received 'bids' from four or five societies, but upon investigating and ascertaining what the cost of joining would be, I found that I could not afford the additional expense, as I was at that time trying to work my way through the university."

Had Good Time
"I continued throughout my four years' residence at the university as a non-fraternity man, and imagined that I had just as good a time as a whole lot of the fraternity men. I played on the football team and took care of first base for a couple of months each spring on the baseball nine. I made my own friends from fraternity and non-fraternity men as I chose, and they accepted me for what I was and not because I wore a pin on my waistcoat with a certain inscription upon it."

"I believe that there are a lot of men who do not join any 'bunch' for some other reason than lack of popularity. Mine was lack of funds, for any Greek letter man will admit that fraternities are expensive institutions for the undergraduate. Others refrain from joining because they are not 'bid' by the crowd to which they desire to belong and still others think that being a fraternity man makes them snobs. I do not put all fraternity men in the same category. Some are snobs and some are not, the same as in any large body of men."

Oppose High Schools
"There are snobs among the non-fraternity set. Some of my best friends, when I was in college, belonged to fraternities and I believe that there were times when they preferred my society to that of some weak-kneed relative with a badge."

The law passed recently by the state of Indiana forbidding fraternities in the high schools has met with approval among the college fraternity men. It is generally agreed by the Greek letter alumni of the colleges that a boy in high school is too young to understand the significance of the associations which a fraternity brings, while if he gets into the wrong crowd at this age he frequently learns bad habits and thus prejudices his family against fraternities in general and gives the wrong impression of the organizations which are a part of college life.

Attacks High Frats
"The high school fraternity," said Marcellus B. Holmes of the Alpha Delta Phi club, "in many cases the illegitimate child of the college fraternity, and while the one in the university stands for associations and friendships and athletics, the other is often the excuse for a boy to shirk his school duties and to learn a lot of bad habits at an age when he is not strong enough to resist temptations. Then he frequently achieves the wrong idea about college fraternities from some older member of the high school organization who has preceded him to college and adds some crowd whose standing is doubtful. He pledges himself to join this chapter before he has had an opportunity to investigate the others, and perhaps makes a mistake which will blight his whole college course."

D. K. E. Exhibits Wealth
To show the power that college fraternities are attaining in this country, James Anderson Hawes, the general secretary of the Delta Kappa Epsilon, has compiled a statement which gives an accurate estimate of the value of the property owned by D. K. E.

"We have," says Mr. Hawes, "twelve thousand living graduates. The total value of the property belonging to the fraternity at this time is nearly three-quarters of a million dollars, which is more than was the entire income producing investment of Yale university at the time of the civil war. We have forty-two chapters, and every one of these chapters occupies one or more entire houses. All but four of these chapters own their own buildings. Of these four two have sufficient money raised now to purchase their own houses before next autumn. This will leave only two chapters next fall which do not own their houses, and these two already have considerable funds, so that by the end of next winter we can be almost certain of having every chapter housed. As several of our chapters own halls as well as the houses in which they live, we have today a total of forty-two buildings owned by the fraternity of forty-two chapters. I believe that this is certainly the record, at least for any one of the large fraternities with a number of chapters."

The uses of a mother-in-law are too often less than her abuses.

JULY CLEAN-UP SALE

We are going to clean up everything in our store to make room for Fall Goods coming in August 15th.

- Lawns at 3 1/2c
- Ginghams at 9c
- Prints at 5c
- Waists at 49c
- House Dresses at 89c
- Night Gowns at 79c
- Gauze Vests at 7 1/2c
- Hosiery at 7 1/2c
- Coats at \$3.95
- Suits at \$7.95
- Skirts at \$3.75
- Table Damask at 35c
- Towels at 3 1/2c
- Toweling at 5 1/2c
- Corsets at 47c
- Umbrellas at 85c
- Gingham Petticoats at 50c
- Wash Cloths at 3c
- Dress Goods, per Yard at 19c

We can save you money. Come and see

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LET SINGER WED SAYS SEMBRICH

Declares Women of the Opera Are Better Fitted Physically Than Most for Marriage

Indiscriminate advice to young women singers against matrimony should stop, says Mme. Marcella Sembrich, who in spending part of the summer at her villa on the shores of Lake Geneva, Switzerland.

The celebrated prima donna takes great interest in budding song artists and she resents the effects of fame seeking instructors to prevent marriages on the part of their pupils. Such a course is not only unhumanitarian but it is zeal entirely misdirected, asserts Mme. Sembrich. She considers restraining advice in marital affairs usually wasted.

"Not that I recommend marriage for every woman singer regardless of its effect upon her career, but that I refuse to recognize the right or duty of anyone to legislate for singers in this manner," said the soprano without the least apparent ill-feeling.

"There are many persons who go so far as to say that opera singers should not wed. This is decidedly pernicious doctrine and no one can conscientiously endorse it who appreciates the opera environment. Women of the opera are better fitted for marriage than most women for they are strong in body and mind and their children should be proportionally healthier than the average child. They can live domestic and happy lives, as has been suffi-

ciently proven. As married women they sing even better, because they are happier—even if all do not realize this fact.

"Why discourage a sacred and indispensable state merely to satisfy the misguided whim of some avaricious teacher who fears the loss of his pet pupil? His advice is unquestionably bad, and fortunately it miscarries as a rule."

Best Kind.
On a country road two ladies met a farmer with a load of wood. The ladies were sociably inclined, and one of them called out chirpingly to the man on the wagon: "What kind of wood have you on there?" "This here's wooden wood," was the curt reply—Woman's Home Companion.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

State of Wisconsin—In Probate—La Crosse County Court.
In the matter of the estate of Mary Kabat, late of the city of La Crosse, in said County, deceased.
Letters of administration in said matter having been granted to A. A. Fessler, of La Crosse, Wis., notice is hereby given that six months after the 18th day of June, A. D. 1912, are allowed to creditors to present their claims against said deceased for examination and allowance; and that said Court will on the 24th day of December, A. D. 1912, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of said Court in the Court House in the City of La Crosse, in said County, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased.
Dated this 18th day of June, 1912.

By the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.
JAMES THOMPSON,
Attorney for Estate.

AEROPLANE DROPS; TWO ARE KILLED

SALISBURY, Eng., July 5.—Two more lives were sacrificed to the science of aviation today. Captain E. B. Lorraine of the Grenadier Guards and Sergeant Major Wilson were instantly killed while flying in an army aeroplane near Stonehenge today. One of the side planes became warped, and the aeroplane turned turtle. Both men were jarred from their seats, and fell 40 feet, being instantly killed.

Captain Lorraine was one of the best known of the British army aviators. He had numerous flights throughout the country and was recently detailed as instructor at the army aviation field on Salisbury plain. The aeroplane in which he was killed was a Nieuport monoplane.

No man ever has to hunt temptation; he is lucky if he can dodge it.

TWELVE AVIATORS KILLED THIS WEEK

LONDON, July 5.—The death of two more men in England today brought the toll of death in the air for the present week to the appalling total of an even dozen. On Monday, Miss Harriet Quimby and W. A. P. Willard were killed at Boston. Beno Koenig was killed and three other aviators injured at Altona, Prussia; Tuesday, Melvin Vaniman, Calvin Vaniman, George Boutillon, Fred Elmer and Walter Guest were killed when Vaniman's dirigible exploded at Atlantic City, while yesterday Thomas Moore was killed when his parachute failed to work at Bellville, N. J., and Lieutenant Caranda of the Roumania army met death while giving an exhibition flight at Bucharest.

Trying to be a Christian on the installment plan is a waste of time.

ASSISTANT U. S. DISTRICT ATTORNEY

MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 4.—(Special.)—United States District Attorney Guy D. Coff today announced the appointment of Assistant City Attorney Otto H. Breidenbach as assistant district attorney to succeed John W. McMillan, resigned. Mr. McMillan enters the firm headed by Theodore Kronshage, Jr., to fill the vacancy caused by the recent appointment of Oscar M. Fritz to the circuit bench.

Mr. Breidenbach, who assumes his duties August 1, is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin law school and is twenty-eight years of age.

Fell Far Without Injury.

Simone Catnot, a five-year-old girl, fell from a fourth floor window of a building at Havre, France, the other day, without sustaining any injury save a few scratches. The child had been left alone in a locked room, and as she could not open the door, she broke a pane of glass with an umbrella and jumped out of the window. She was taken to a hospital, but after a careful examination was pronounced uninjured.

Confusions of Effects.

"Things didn't seem to work together in your series of dramatic representations." "They didn't," admitted Stormington Barnes. "When we played tragedy the box office receipts were a farce, and when we played farce they were a tragedy."—Washington Star.

His Start.

"You got your start in politics by burning midnight oil?" "Yes," replied Senator Sorghum. "I was one of the busiest boys you ever saw in a torchlight procession."

NEW USE IS FOUND FOR SLOT MACHINE



English postage slot machine.

Uncle Sam may have a more inventive mind than John Bull, but it remained for the latter to make the first use of the slot machine in stamping letters. This slot machine, which is being tried out in London, does not stick the ordinary postage stamp on the letter, but stamps the letter in the same manner as the stamping machine used in a postoffice to cancel stamps, says Popular Mechanics. That is, when the sender inserts his letter in the machine, and places a penny in the slot, the envelope is impressed with a circle of red bearing the words "London, 1d. (one penny) postage paid," and also with the numerals designating the section of London in which the letter was stamped.

A Surprise For Two.

The waiter—"Haven't you forgotten something, sir?" Guest—"Yes. What a good meal tastes like."

Our Sausages

are wholesome and pure and have that delicious, palate pleasing richness that only comes by expertly handling the best and purest of meats and imported spices that go to make it.

U. S. Government Inspected Meats.

The Sanitary Market & Sausage Factory

612 Main Street

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Not Possible

I can't divide my profits with you. My business has not increased \$75,000,000.00 the past year and I don't spend \$2,000,000.00 in advertising; my buildings don't cover 5000 acres and I don't employ 4,000 stenographers. But I do sell the best gasoline engine made, the Stickney with 57 points of superiority over all others, and at a price which represents value in every pound.

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EXCLUSIVE AGENT
Bernard Rannetsberger - Chaseburg, Wis.

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Old Country GREEN SOAP

Bijou

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THE BIJOU THEATRE

Opens Tomorrow 3:00 P. M.

Under The Management of The Majestic Theatre Company

Remodeled, Redecorated and Cool

The Latest and Best Motion Pictures

Bijou

**MYRICK PICNIC
DRAWS CROWD**

More than 2,000 Attend St. Mary's Church Celebration at East Side Park

BIG PROGRAM IS ENJOYED

Dan Whalen Captures the Greased Pig; Orphans Enjoy Outing on the Fourth

Over 2,000 persons attended the celebration held at Myrick park by the St. Mary's church yesterday. The program which opened in the morning, was cut short by the heavy rain which sent all hurrying to shelter. Despite this handicap, the picnic proved one of the most successful ever given by the church. Over \$1,000 was cleared which will be used to pay off the indebtedness caused by the new school.

During the afternoon, the Norden band gave a concert and the amusement program consisting of all kinds of races and contests was opened.

The most amusing spectacle of the day was the attempt of the crowd to capture the greased pig. All were given warning and with the signal, 2,000 persons made a wild scramble in pursuit of the pig which managed to elude their grasp with ease, diving first to the right, then to the left and working his way through the crowd.

Daniel Whalen, of Thill-Manning-Whalen company, captured the pig and accompanying honors after a last spurt of speed, nearly three blocks from where it had been liberated. With a final dash and lunge, Dan threw his arms affectionately around the hog's neck and despite all the protests of the latter he held fast until proper fastenings could be procured.

One hundred and sixty children of the orphans' home were taken to the park by the La Crosse City Railway company, who provided special cars for the children free of charge. Father Robert E. Condon contributed to the pleasure of the children by contributing \$80 which was divided among them for incidental expenses.

The prizes which were awarded were donated by J. J. Hogan, Bryant & Sisson, Sietstad & Haugen, La Crosse Cracker company and the National Biscuit company. Dinner was served by the ladies of the church. The celebration was brought to a close at 7 o'clock.

GIRLS ARE SURPRISED

Miss Emma Gilbertson and Miss Rose Wittenberg were pleasantly surprised Saturday evening at the home of Miss Wittenberg, 1108 Rose street, by a number of their friends. The evening was spent in music and dancing. Refreshments were served at a late hour. Those present were the Misses Grace Barnes, Clara Miller, Pearl Petram, Ellice Hofman, Ellice Parmeter, Esther Kneisel, Lilie Numan, Emma Schaffer, Martha Petaska, Anna Wittenberg, Mabel Staten, Emma and Renga Gilbertson, Rose and Myrtle Wittenberg, and Messrs. George Sampson, John Murphy, Willie Will, Will Limpert, Frank Zehert, Oscar Bangsberg, Charles Brown, Charles Olson, Ed Osweiler, Ed Lee, Herman Yane, Harry Koepke, Frank Koplen and Will Wittenberg.

PETERSON BABY CALLED

Wallace R. Peterson, the nine-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peterson, 1322 Rose street, died of convulsions at 7 o'clock Wednesday evening. Wallace Peterson was born September 4, 1911.

Funeral arrangements have not been made.

AMERICAN DIES ABROAD

DETROIT, Mich., July 5.—J. L. Hudson, a well-known merchant, throughout the middle west and owner of department stores in Cleveland, Buffalo, and Detroit, died today in Paris, France.

GRANKE'S TRANSFER LINE

Furniture Moved and Stored
Jobbing of All Kinds
Buildings Bought and Sold
Both Phones 833 Rose

NORTH SIDE IN BRIEF

Auto repairs. Hirt Machine Co. Miss Sabina Kaveney of Portage visited her parents on the North side yesterday.

Miss Bertha Meyers is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Meyers, 901 Hagar street.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Walder of Lanesboro, Minn., are calling on friends on the North side today.

Peter Kisselbach from Victory visited in La Crosse yesterday.

The coast trains on the C. M. & St. P. railroad are forty-eight hours late today, due to washouts which swept away the bridge at Forsythe, Mont.

Bert Johnson has returned to Lansing, Iowa, after a trip to La Crosse.

Alex and Belton Berg of West Salem are visiting on the North side.

Oscar Olson, who was visiting at Brainerd, Minn., has returned to his home at 1501 Kane street.

Donald Finn, Guy Parker and Clifford Marking came to the city from Victory yesterday to visit here. Fred Christopherson and Peter Gorder of Onalaska were in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Argall and daughter Marie of Superior are visiting relatives and friends here for a few days.

Miss Mae Leonard of Davenport, Iowa, is the guest of relatives and friends here over the Fourth.

Mr. Nordahl who has been the guest of friends and relatives in Chicago, has returned to his home, 319 Carr street.

Mr. Holtz of Midway is visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. George Nutting, 911 Gillette street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hurley and son Raymond, 1527 Loomis street, leave tomorrow for a couple of

months' visit with relatives at Mad-dock, N. D.

Mrs. Tom Madress and son Ben- nile of Savanna, Ill., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Krell, 1621 Berlin street.

Miss Anadell Harrington, 1542 Avon street, is the guest of relatives and friends in Colorado.

Miss Ida Lang, who has been the guest of friends on the North side for the past few days, has returned to her home in Sparta.

Miss Hazel Bedessen of Sparta is visiting friends here for a few days.

Mrs. Outhill, who has been the guest of relatives and friends in Genoa for the past few days, has returned to her home, 1724 Charles street.

Miss Hazel Boynton of Joliet, Ill., is visiting relatives here for a few days.

Miss Mae Bell of Maddock, N. D., is the guest of La Crosse relatives and friends.

Jerome Felstad of Dubuque is spending the Fourth with relatives here.

A. E. Pederson, who has been on his claim in Nevada for the last three months, is spending the Fourth with his wife.

Miss Olga Lee of Minneapolis, who has been visiting relatives here, left this morning for a couple weeks' visit in Kansas City, Mo.

James Hanson, who has been visiting on the North side, has returned to Milwaukee.

Mrs. Elsie Maines and daughter Eloise of Kansas City, Mo., are the guests of North side relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Michard, who spent the Fourth with friends here, have returned to their home in Davenport Iowa.

Miss Anna May Russell of Los Angeles, Cal., is the guest of La Crosse relatives and friends.

Miss Florence Joy, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed

Pruett, 1117 Logan street, for the past week, has returned to her home in Seneca, Wis.

Albert Hanson of St. Paul spent the Fourth with relatives here.

Miss Edith Black of Dubuque spent the Fourth here with relatives.

Miss Annette Johns of Gales- burg has been spending a couple of weeks with relatives here.

Alfred Hodge of Chicago, who has been visiting his brothers here, has returned to his home.

Miss Matilda Sherbes, who spend the Fourth with relatives here, has returned to her home in Winona.

John Sullivan, 317 Mill street, has accepted a position as brakeman on the C. M. & St. P.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly, 728 Gould street, are the proud parents of a baby boy.

Arthur Bull, 1831 Loomis street, left yesterday for Potosi, where he has accepted a position on the C. B. & Q.

Mrs. E. James of Davenport, Iowa, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Pope, 1529 George street.

Miss Powell of Savanna, Ill., is the guest of friends and relatives on the North side.

Mr. Ellerson is seriously ill at his home, 1551 Charles street.

Mrs. Collier of Washington is the guest of friends and relatives here.

**SYRIAN PROFESSOR
TO TALK HERE**

Professor George Sverdrup will lecture for the Young People's society of the Norwegian Bethel church on George street this evening on the subject, "The School Question." This lecture will doubtless prove of great interest as Professor Sverdrup has spoken both here and in foreign countries on this topic. Professor Sverdrup was graduated from Yale with first honors and he was a professor at the University of Syria. He will speak Sunday morning and this evening, the lectures being delivered in English.

ATTENTION!

Beginning Sunday, July 7, 1912, pay-as-you-enter cars will be operated on the North side.

The co-operation of the public is respectfully asked to make the operation of pay-as-you-enter cars successful and beneficial to our patrons. To that end, passengers are requested to please observe the following:

1. Board car at rear platform only.
2. Have exact fare ready.
3. Conductors are not allowed to deposit fares. Passengers must deposit exact fare in cash in fare box.
4. Passengers not having exact fare ready will please step aside until others on platform have entered car, when change can be obtained from conductor.
5. Transfers and tickets must not be deposited in fare box, but handed to conductor.
6. Ask for transfers when depositing fare in box.
7. Transfers will be issued only at time fare is paid.
8. Enter car promptly after paying fare, moving towards front end.
9. Leave car by front exit.
10. Smoking permitted only on front platform.
11. Passengers will not be permitted to remain on rear platform.

LA CROSSE CITY RAILWAY CO.

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GROCERY**

GRANULATED CANE SUGAR
9 POUNDS FOR 49c
With every 50c order.

Armour's Chipped Dried Beef, reg. 15c can, at 10c
Mustard Sardines, regular 10c cans, two for....15c
Wilbur's Cocoa, 1 pound cans43c
Wilbur's Cocoa, 1/2 pound cans22c
Arm & Hammer Soda, regular 10c package8c
F brand Olives in quart jars, at23c
Krinkle Corn Flakes, per package6c
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Hot Water Cold Water Hard Water Soft Water

Use Me With Any Kind of Water!

KIRK'S FLAKE
WHITE SOAP

Washes Quicker—Easier—Cleaner and Whiter than any other Soap on the Market

KIRK'S FLAKE (White) is equally effective in cold or hot water, with or without boiling. In hard water it lathers freely and breaks and softens the hardest water instantly. A soap suited for every household use. Millions of housewives are using it daily. No other laundry Soap made like it and no other laundry soap ever made gives such complete satisfaction.

KIRK'S FLAKE
WHITE SOAP

A Real Time and Money Saver

KIRK'S FLAKE (White) Soap will do more work with less labor than any other Soap without any injury to the most delicate fabric. Does not give off disagreeable odors on washday. Contains nothing but the sweetest and purest ingredients. A perfect soap for those who value their woolens, linens and laces. Saves its cost in labor, many times.

Cheapest Because Best

A single trial of KIRK'S FLAKE (White) Soap will convince you of its superiority. Order from your grocer today. Do it while you think of it. Satisfaction guaranteed.

White Clothes and Soft Hands

Only with KIRK'S FLAKE (White) Soap can you be sure to have your clothes wash easier and quicker and whiter than ever before and at the same time feel perfectly sure that they are not being rotted with chemical and "dirt starters" and that your hands will be soft and white as when you began your work.

A Pure Sanitary Soap

The antiseptic qualities of KIRK'S FLAKE (White) Soap are well known; everything washed with it becomes clean, sweet and sanitary. It contains no adulteration.

Save Flake Wrappers for Valuable Premiums

JAP ROSE (Transparent) Soap for the Toilet and Bath

EVERY ATOM CLEANSSES — EVERY ATOM PURE

**JEFFERY HELPS
OUT GOOD ROADS**

President of Automobile Company Gives Big Sum for Wisconsin Highways

Country wide interest in the improvement and maintenance of public highways, nowhere is more pronounced than in the middle west. There are under consideration by legislative bodies and motoring organizations in the Mississippi valley a number of projects looking toward the betterment of road conditions.

One of the most formidable of these undertakings is that by which it is hoped to link Chicago and Milwaukee. Impetus was given plans for this improvement by the contribution this week of \$1,000 toward a \$6,000 fund to be devoted to the building and maintenance of roads in Kenosha County, Wisconsin.

The gift was made by Charles T. Jeffery, in behalf of The Thomas B. Jeffery Co., of which he is president. With the completion of the proposed Chicago-Milwaukee highway will be established the first leg in a route that will take the motorists from the hills and lakes of Wisconsin over the prairies of Illinois to the Mississippi River at St. Louis.

"This gift was made by this company," said Mr. Jeffery, "because we are interested in the building of

good roads in Kenosha county and because we appreciate the demand for improvement that is being made by those who have occasion to use our roadways. We are hopeful that this movement will be a general one for we are in hearty sympathy with those who advocate the cause of improved highways."

GOTCH CAN USE HIS TOE HOLD

CHICAGO, July 5.—Alderman Anton Cermak, who will referee the match between Champion Frank Gotch and Joe Smedjkal, the Bohemian heavyweight, wrestling champion, informed Smedjkal that he could not prohibit Gotch's use of the toe hold if the American saw fit to make use of it. Smedjkal had requested that the referee bar that hold, saying that if the champion got one on him during the match, he would permit his leg to be broken before he would allow his shoulders to touch the mat. Cermak said he would mention Smedjkal's request to Gotch.

OFFICER SHOOTS WIFE AND CHILDREN

WALLA WALLA, Wash., July 5.—Mrs. Ada Proctor, her daughter Nellie, aged 14, and son Everett, aged 9, were shot and killed as they slept, by Sergeant John Proctor of the 126th coast artillery, stationed at Fort Worden, Port Townsend, Wash. Proctor then killed himself. The army officer had been divorced from his wife last December. She had been running a boarding house here. Coming to this city on leave of absence, Proctor put up at his former wife's house, paying board and room rent the same as a regular patron.

GOOD ONLY FOR SECTION 5 IF USED AT ONCE

WAR SOUVENIR COUPON

SAVE THIS COUPON IT HELPS YOU GET
The Civil War Through the Camera

Containing
Brady's Famous Civil War Photographs
(Published by Permission of the U. S. War Department)
And Professor Elson's Newly Written History of the Civil War

WHY NOT SPEND A MITE BEN, WALKING'S TOO CHEAP!

BY HARRY DALLY



CUT YOUR ICE BILL IN TWO

PRICES CUT ON THE AUTOMATIC REFRIGERATORS TO MAKE ROOM



Safe Drinking Water
For The Children

THE AUTOMATIC REFRIGERATOR

banishes the chipped ice peril—it keeps your drinking water cool, sweet and safe in a porcelain-lined "built in" cooler that opens only at the top and faucet.

No food odors, no impurities can get in.

Our patent BOTTLE HOLDER ATTACHMENT enables large bottles of spring water to be turned directly into the cooler as shown in the picture.

Take no chances with typhoid or other diseases. Have safe, cool water and better preserved food with an Automatic Refrigerator. Come and see it.

We will allow you a fair value for your old Refrigerator in trade.

FRED KRONER HARDWARE CO.

CITY SALES DEPARTMENT, 116 SOUTH THIRD STREET.

COPELAND PARK FILLED TO BRIM

(Continued from Page One.)

er yesterday afternoon and the Nelsons easily demonstrated their superiority over their opponents, winning 8 to 2. While Squires had the Viroqua nine at his mercy, the Nelsons batted Helgeson, the visitors' star southpaw, out of the box in the sixth, and Rabbit, his successor, was also found frequently in the remaining rounds.

Squires let Viroqua down with three singles and he set down seven men on strikes during the afternoon. His hurling was the feature of the battle as he pitched in excellent form and gave the visitors no chance to win.

On the other hand, Helgeson was found regularly and with two men down in the sixth round Rabbit took his place. Rabbit was also hit hard and four runs were made off him. Helgeson and Squires each fanned four men.

The Nelsons found the two pitchers for eight hits, R. Woll, W. Nelson and Squires each poking out two batters.

Score: R H E
Nelsons . . . 02002310x—8 8 6
Viroqua . . . 000001001—2 3 4
Batteries: Squires and Knuteson; Helgeson, Rabbit and Hauge; umpire, R. Jones.

In the other baseball game, a pitchers' battle between Olson and Anderson resulted in a victory for the latter, the Summits beating the North La Crosse club by the score of 4 to 0. Up to the fifth inning not a run was made by either team so perfect was the work of each pitcher but in that round the Summits scored four times, all the runs which were made during the afternoon.

In the fifth inning, two hits, one of which was a double by Heyer, and three errors sent three of the Summits over the pan. This settled the game as no more scores could be made.

Score: R H E
Summits . . . 000040000—4 6 6
N. La Crosse . . . 000000000—0 4 3
Batteries: Anderson and Patterson; Olson and Scholberg; umpire, R. Jones.

An interesting indoor baseball was held between two playground league teams, the Imperials of the south side league beating the Nelson Clothing company team of the north side league by the count of 7 to 0. Weigel, who did slab duty for the Imperials, was invincible and the Nelsons couldn't find him. Streeter, on the mound for the Nelsons, was hit hard by the Imperials.

The prizes were awarded as follows:

Boys' sack race—First prize, two sacks of flour, won by H. Adams; second prize, one sack of flour, won by John Potter. Flour donated by Grams.

Girls' race, under ten years—First prize, hat, won by Madela Taylor; second prize, shoes, by Elizabeth Singer. Hat donated by Mrs. Taylor; shoes by D. Larson.

Boys' three-legged race—First prize, four sacks of flour, won by Adams and Potter; second prize, two sacks of flour, won by G. Lehner and B. Goldish. Flour donated by Schilling.

Girls' race, under 16 years—First prize, jewelry, \$5, won by Gertrude Retzlaff; second prize, one sack of flour, won by Stella Scholberg. Jewelry donated by Parker; flour by Grams.

Fat man's race—First prize, 100 cigars, won by M. M. Schain; second prize, one box of cigars. One hundred cigars donated by Oeltjender; one box of cigars by Knutson.

Midlet race—First prize, boy's suit, won by A. Scheel; second prize, boy's shoes, won by G. Vallencourt.

Boy's suit donated by Willing; shoes by Morkved.

One hundred yard wash—First prize, sweater, won by W. Weiher; second prize, three dollars worth of merchandise, won by C. Coulam. Sweater donated by Knitting Works; merchandise by Simenson.

Swimming race—First prize, two sacks of flour, won by C. Squires; second prize, one sack of flour, won by Larson. Two sacks of flour donated by Schilling; one sack of flour by Grams.

Rowing race—First prize, two sacks of flour, won by F. Brown; second prize, one sack of flour, won by H. Downey. Flour donated by Grams.

"RUBE" WADDELL DROPS IN FAINT

MINNEAPOLIS, July 5.—Maybe the failure of George Edward (Rube) Waddell to pitch winning ball for the Minneapolis team this year was explained yesterday when, after fainting as soon as he reached his home from the ball park, Dr. Rosen, who was called, diagnosed his disease as acute indigestion and gall stones.

According to the doctor, G. Edward needs several days of absolute quiet. This is the only hope of putting him into condition to make his old-time fights on the diamond.

Dr. Williams, the club physician, appeared later, and ordered Rube to keep his bed until further orders, saying his condition was serious.

"PEEKING TOM" IS NABBED BY POLICE

Peeking through windows of homes constitutes a charge of disorderly conduct according to the declaration made by Captain L. Dugan of the police department, following the arrest of Henry Mulladahl, alleged to have played "Peeking Tom" at the residence of George L. Jenks, 1423 Kane street. Mrs. Jenks today declared that she was attracted by a noise at a window at about 10:00 o'clock last night, and upon investigation found a man trying to peek in. She notified the police by telephone and he was arrested shortly after.

Similar complaints were made by other residents of the North side last night.

FOURTH CELEBRATOR IS SHOT TO DEATH

CROCKSTON, Minn., July 5.—Martin Jensen from Stephens, who was celebrating the "Fourth" after a quarrel with his pal, Vic Wickstrom in Howard Worris' saloon was found dead in the toilet room with a bullet hole in his right temple, and a revolver by his side at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. It is supposed he took his own life, but Wickstrom was arrested.

Officer Godburn was in the saloon when the shot was fired, but everyone supposed the noise was made by a great firecracker. Dr. H. E. Nelson, deputy coroner is investigating. The victim was 20 years of age, and his home was supposed to be at Hendrum, Minn.

WSETECKA FUNERAL TODAY
Many friends and relatives attended the funeral of Joseph Wsetecka which was held from the residence at 8:30 o'clock this morning and from the St. Wenceslaus church at nine o'clock. Rev. Till officiated at the services.

The pallbearers were Frank Lapitz, Joseph Beranek, Jacob Beranek, Frank Janoch, Frank Wais and Joseph Tikal. Burial was made in the Catholic cemetery.

THANKS THE LOSERS

GOVERNOR SENDS TELEGRAMS TO UNDERWOOD AND CLARK ACKNOWLEDGING THEIR SUPPORT

WASHINGTON, July 5.—Representative Oscar W. Underwood, whose action in withdrawing his name from the contest for the presidential nomination at Baltimore hastened the nomination of Governor Wilson, today received the following telegram from the New Jersey executive:

"Your message of congratulations has given me deep pleasure. It cheers me as much as it strengthens me to have the support of a man whose character and leadership in congress all the country admires. Please accept my assurances of warm personal regard."

"WOODROW WILSON."

Speaker Clark was also the recipient of a message from the democratic nominee as follows:

"Your message of congratulations has given me deep pleasure and your generous offer to do all you can to aid in my election is characteristic of your readiness to undertake every task imposed upon you. I pray accept my warmest assurances of warmest personal regard and pleasure at anticipating working with you."

M'VEAGH REPLIES TO ANDREW CHARGE

LANCASTER, Mass., July 5.—Secretary of the Treasury Franklin MacVeagh, in a statement given out here yesterday declared that the resignation of A. Platt Andrew, assistant secretary of the treasury, was not submitted until it had repeatedly been requested by both MacVeagh and President Taft. The secretary said that Mr. Andrew pleaded to be retained in the service and brought every possible influence to bear to have the request for his resignation withdrawn.

Secretary MacVeagh who is a visitor at the home of Bayard Thayer yesterday received many telegraph and telephone messages from friends and official acquaintances expressing confidence in his administration of the department and prepared a lengthy statement of his side of the controversy precipitated by Mr. Andrew's letters of resignation.

TWO GOLF TOURNEYS AT COUNTRY CLUB

Two golf tournaments were held at the Country club yesterday, two teams playing in the morning, the losers furnishing the dinner while in the afternoon a flag contest was held. The flag contest was a handicap affair, C. H. Schweizer winning the event while C. W. Lewis and William Niemeyer were tied for second. In deciding the tie Mr. Lewis got second place while Mr. Niemeyer got third. A tennis tourney among the younger members of the club was also held in the afternoon.

CITY HALL FLAG SPOILED

Among the damage caused by the heavy rain yesterday is the destruction of a new \$65 flag which had been placed on the flag pole above the city hall. The flag which had been recently purchased was fifteen feet by thirty feet. Janitor Brown raised the flag in the morning but failed to take it down when the rain started. The flag not being raised high enough, dragged upon the roof, which, with the rain, converted it into a fair imitation of a patched work quilt.

TAFT TO INVESTIGATE

IF CONGRESS DOES NOT TAKE UP M'VEAGH AFFAIR PRESIDENT WILL SIFT THE SCANDAL

WASHINGTON, July 5.—That there will be no congressional investigation of the MacVeagh-Andrew imbroglio unless Andrew prefers specific charges of mal-administration against the cabinet officer, was the declaration today of Chairman Cox of the committee on expenditures in the treasury department.

Even if congress does not authorize an investigation, President Taft will personally conduct one. According to information at the treasury department today, the executive will begin his probe of the affair by calling in various bureau chiefs at next Tuesday's cabinet meeting. In the meantime and pending final decision whether Andrew's charges against MacVeagh are to be sustained or rejected, Taft proposes that every employee in the treasury personally pledge loyalty to MacVeagh or retire.

NO STATE ISSUES

ST. PAUL, Minn., July 5.—Joseph M. Dixon, manager of the Roosevelt campaign today wired H. T. Halbert, head of the St. Paul progressive league, that the progressive convention would be held in Chicago about August 10. Senator Dixon asked for suggestions. Mr. Halbert replied to keep state issues out of the national fight.

PLAN TURKISH REPUBLIC

SOFIA, Bulgaria, July 5.—A conspiracy today was alleged to have been discovered among Turkish officers at Adrianople, looking to the transformation of European Turkey into a republic. It was asserted that the Turkish officers held a meeting to establish a military dictatorship and proclaim the republic.

CHILD ELECTROCUTED

FOND DU LAC, Wis., July 5.—Leonard, the 4 year old son of Henry Gutreuter, was electrocuted on Thursday afternoon when he came in contact with a live wire hanging from a pole near his home. Mrs. Gutreuter saw her son fall, but he was dead when she reached his side.

Cut Glass for Wedding Gifts

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Orozco's Forces in Full Retreat Before Troops of Federal General Huerta

EXPECT BATTLE AT JUAREZ

U. S. Officers Are Preparing to Deal with Struggle Across River from El Paso

EL PASO, Tex., July 5.—With General Orozco's rebel forces completely routed and in full retreat northward, the United States army officers here are preparing to deal with a battle which is expected to be fought across the river in Juarez. It is known that Gen. Orozco has already sent his forces through Chihuahua to the northward on troop trains from Bachimba, the scene of yesterday's battle, and he is expected to continue northward to the border.

The American authorities hope Orozco will not try to precipitate hostilities across the river from here but will evacuate soon after and being a temporary capital band will move west and to Sonora.

All details of the Bachimba battle which have been received here show the rebels were cut to pieces. The fighting opened July 3rd, and was desperate practically all of that day. General Huerta's federal forces attacked the mountain passes at Bachimba, which Orozco had fortified. Huerta could do little with his infantry, but his artillery army consisting of twenty-six cannons and 16 machine guns poured a terrific fire into the rebel position.

Thursday morning Orozco's forces abandoned their position and fled northward on their trains, dynamiting the railroad track and destroying all bridge behind them. The federal found scores of dead and wounded lying on the Bachimba battle field, indicating the haste with which Orozco retreated.

Early today Orozco was at Sauz, 30 miles north of Chihuahua, while his troops were only 114 miles below the American border. The rebels have cut all wires leading to Chihuahua from the north.

TAFT DEVOTES HIS TIME TO GOLF

BEVERLY, Mass., July 5.—Bright and early today President Taft was on the golf links for an 18-hole contest with his friend, John Hays Hammond. Before going to the links, President Taft had an hour's session with his stenographer, and then motored to the Myopia club. This afternoon after luncheon at home and a nap, the president will take an automobile ride along the North shore. Yesterday afternoon he motored to Hamilton to visit Secretary of the Navy Meyer, who is recuperating from an attack of typhoid. He spent the evening with his family on the front porch of Paramatta cottage viewing the fireworks.

GIANT SMOKER ON AT MINNEAPOLIS

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., July 5.—Northsiders of the city of Minneapolis are enjoying a gigantic smoker in which more than 650,000 cigars and 17,000 pounds of loose leaf tobacco are being consumed. The estimated cost of the smoker is \$31,000. The tobacco is that seized several months ago from the warehouse of Michael McQuirk, found guilty of violating the revenue laws.

CLAIMS DAMAGE OF STEAMER

The steamer Quincy was held up by United States Marshal Flint when it reached this city late yesterday afternoon, libel proceedings having been started by John O'Neil who claims that upon the last trip of the steamer, two boats belonging to him were damaged by it. His claim is for \$500. A bond for \$1,000 was furnished, permitting the steamer to finish its up river trip.

OLD WOMAN ARRESTED

A woman eighty-four years of age giving her name as Bridget O'Neil and declaring she lives at Monroe, was arrested this afternoon by Patrolman M. Britton while begging. When questioned she declared that she had got married today but was unable to give a coherent account of herself. It is believed that she is insane and has escaped from an insane asylum.

HERMANN FUNERAL SUNDAY

The funeral of Thomas Hermann will be held Sunday afternoon at the residence at 2 o'clock and at the Universalist church at 2:30 o'clock.

Foolish Waltzing Contest

An extraordinary waltzing watch in which eight couples competed took part at Alessandria, Piedmont, Italy. The dancers commenced at 10 o'clock in the evening of the 25th instant and did not cease until they were compelled to do so from exhaustion. At midday on the 26th, when there remained only two couples in the contest, the jury ordered the termination of the match, which had lasted 14 hours, and Regaldi, who was adjudged champion, fainted immediately afterward.

Several wireless stations in the West Indies are operated by wind power.

TAFT CUTS DOWN FOREST RESERVE

By Proclamation He Reduces Acreage of National Timber Lands 215,000 Acres

DUE TO FALSE SURVEYS

Hasty Work Caused Inclusion of Too Much Land in First Boundaries

WASHINGTON, July 5.—President Taft has just made considerable changes in National Forests in Montana, Arizona, Nevada, Utah and California through Presidential proclamations modifying the boundary lines. By these changes nearly 275,000 acres of land are eliminated from the forests, about 65,000 acres are added, and about 55,000 acres are transferred between two forests, while a new forest is created by the division of an old unit into two.

Decreases Forests

The net result is to bring down the total gross area of the National Forests to about 187,000,000 acres, of which nearly 27,000,000 acres are in Alaska. To a considerable extent, however, the reductions, so far as land actually owned by the government is concerned, are apparent rather than real, owing to heavy alienations in the tracts eliminated. Some 22,000,000 acres of the National Forest gross area are not owned by the government.

The high water mark of the National Forest gross area was reached in 1909, when the forest boundaries included over 194,000,000 acres. It was then realized, however, that in making the examinations on which the Presidential proclamations creating the forests were based the work had been too rapid to insure in all cases the best boundaries. Sometimes land which should have been included was left out, while at other times land was taken in which was not best suited to forest purposes.

Consequently a complete overhauling and rectification of the forest boundaries was planned, and has been going on ever since. By successive proclamations President Taft has eliminated nearly 11,000,000 acres, while he has added about 4,000,000 acres.

Six in Montana

In Montana the new proclamations eliminate a total of 116,370 acres from six forests—the Custer, Absaroka, Blackfoot, Kootenai, Lewis and Clark, and Flathead—while 14,640 acres are transferred from the Blackfoot to the Kootenai and 40,640 from the Kootenai to the Blackfoot, to facilitate administration. In Arizona 106,540 acres are eliminated from the Coronado National Forest. In Nevada 49,840 acres are eliminated from the Humboldt and 55,840 acres added, of which 12,800 acres are included in the new Ruby National Forest, composed principally of that part of the old Humboldt lying south of the Southern Pacific Railroad. In Utah 1,340 acres are eliminated from the Sevier, while in California 8,680 acres are added to the Shasta and 480 acres to the Kitmoth.

War on Rats.
Rats on ships do several million dollars of damage to cargoes every year, so say nothing of the carrying of diseases. Rat-killing virus is used successfully on shipboard, but some of the rats become immune to the disease which the virus causes. This is not so bad, because the rats which are not killed by the virus, but have gotten used to it, carry virus disease to other rats, and these in turn are killed by the disease.

Few American Negroes in London.

"There are a few American negroes in London," says a New York Sun correspondent, "but most of the race in England are young men from the British colonies who are studying law or medicine or taking regular collegiate courses. In the library at Lincoln's inn, one of the noted inns of court or law schools of London, every man engaged in reading when a Sun correspondent was there the other day was a negro."

Ancient Roman Custom.

By the customs of our country, if any person under prosecution for a capital crime did not appear, an officer was sent to his door in the morning to summon him by sound of trumpet, and the judges would never pass sentence before so public a citation. So tender were our ancestors in any matter where the life of a citizen was concerned.—Cicero Gracchus about 122 B. C.

The Chocolate Plant.

The chocolate plant is a native of America. When first introduced into Europe chocolate was used only as a luxury, but it speedily advanced in popular esteem. It is now cultivated in countries far from its original home. The chocolate plant, as well as tea and coffee, has been cultivated from time immemorial. Chocolate as a beverage rapidly made its way in Europe, beginning in Spain, whither it was first brought.—Harper's Weekly.

Twist Off Top.

Very few people, with the exception of those living in a pineapple country, know how to remove the top from the fruit. Hold the apple firmly with one hand, catch the top with the other, and twist around. It comes out easily.—Good Housekeeping.

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BOB WANTS T. R. TO TELL WHERE MONEY CAME FROM

MADISON, Wis., July 5.—A renewed demand that Col. Roosevelt publish his expense account or make a statement as to why he will not, was made by Senator La Follette in his magazine here today. La Follette declares that Roosevelt has had the backing of the "harvester trust, the steel trust, and Perkins, Hanna and Munsey, and that his campaign has been characterized by a riotous expenditure of money."

CAR CRASH KILLS FOUR PICNICKERS

TULSA, Okla., July 5.—One more name was added to the list of victims of the collision on the Tulsa Sand Springs interurban line today, when Mrs. W. A. Snow of Ault, Col., died of her injuries. Three others were killed outright, two of the dead being women. Eighteen persons were so seriously injured that they were removed to a hospital, and a score of others received cuts and bruises.

The wreck occurred on a steep grade last night, when a light car of wooden construction got beyond control of the motorman and crashed into a heavy steel car ahead. The two cars were carrying over 300 persons returning from a picnic. The dead were in the rear car which was telescoped.

Will Insist on Baths.

The master of Navan Union, County Meath, Ireland, in which institution compulsory baths for able-bodied tramps have been introduced recently, reported that 14 tramps were admitted the previous night, and, rather than take baths, seven left. The chairman then stated that the motto of the institution from henceforth, should be "Swim or Shift."

DUBUC RARITY AS ALL ROUND PLAYER



Jean Dubuc.

Jean Dubuc, the Detroit Tiger French-Canadian pitcher, is a rarity as an all around player. He is not only an exceptional slaban, but stands head and shoulders above the ordinary pitcher when it comes to hitting. Dubuc is willing to pinch hit, and is willing to act as a pinch runner. He is asked by Jennings, would play any position in the infield or outfield without a murmur.

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July Clearance Sales

\$15.00 Lingerie Dresses \$7.50

(SECOND FLOOR)

Ladies' and Misses' White Lingerie Dresses, made of fine lawns, batistes and Marquisettes. Combined with handsome laces and embroideries, only one or two dresses of a kind in the lot. They sold up to \$15 each. July clearance sale, Saturday, each **\$7.50**

\$5.00 Silk Petticoats \$2.98

(SECOND FLOOR)

Ladies' fine Silk Taffeta and Messaline Petticoats, in black and best colors. Sold up to \$5 each. July clearance sale, Saturday each **\$2.98**

\$1.00 Corsets 39c

Best standard makes of ladies' Corsets, a few discontinued styles, that sold up to \$1.00 each. Saturday each **39c**

Embroidery Clearance

Great clearance sale of finest embroideries, every wanted kind of good embroidery is included in this sale. Edges, Insertions, Bands, Galoons, Beadings, Corset Coverings, Allovers, 18 inch Flouncings, 27 inch Flouncings and 45 inch Flouncings. Greatest values this season, on sale Saturday—

Regular Prices	15c	20c	25c	35c	50c	75c	\$1.00	\$1.50	\$2.00
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Clearance Prices	8c	11c	15c	19c	25c	39c	50c	69c	95c

\$2.00 Muslin Underwear 95c

Big clearance of all odd garments, also all garments slightly soiled from display. Ladies' Gowns, Skirts, Combinations and Princess Slips, best materials, trimmed with finest laces and embroideries. Garments that sold up to \$2.00 each. July clearance sale, Saturday each **95c**

Wash Goods

At Special Reductions for Saturday.

Dotted Tissues in all colors. Figured Batiste, neat designs. This lot sold for 18c and 25c. Choice per yard	12 1/2c
Loraine Egyptian Tissues, embroidered, also plain colors, checks and stripes, in all the best colorings; 25c and 35c. Choice per yard	19c
Colored Voiles in plain colors, domestic manufacture, A regular 25c value. Saturday at per yard	16c
Imported Voiles in dainty colorings, plain colors, also checks and stripes; 35c to 50c values. Choice only per yard	25c
15c White Dimity, small, medium and broken checks; also India Linen, Saturday only, per yard	10c
18c White Dimity, small, medium and broken checks; also India Linens, Saturday only per yard	12 1/2c

Bargains In The Basement

Glassware

5c thin blown Glass Tumblers, Saturday, each	3c	Fine China Cups and Saucers, worth 18c and 20c, only each	10c
Large size Coffee Cups and Saucers, worth 10c, each	7c	Glass Berry Sets that are worth 75c, only per set	59c
Glass Berry Bowls, worth 10c, 12 1/2c and 15c, only each	5c	Fine Imitation Cut Glass Berry Bowls, worth 35c, only each	19c

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Remnants and short lengths of the best quality of Calicoes, at only per yard	5c
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White Summer Hats, newest shapes artistically trimmed with beautiful flowers, that sold for \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00 your choice **\$2.00 each** for Saturday, at only

Children's Trimmed Hats worth \$1.50 to \$2.00, **49c and 98c** Saturday only

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BOTH MEN DOWN; BOUT TO WOLGAST

Referee Counts Out Rivers
Although Wisconsin Man
Was Down at Same
Time

RIVERS IS BADLY HURT

Has Narrow Escape from
Serious Injury as Result
of Ad's Alleged
Foul

By Referee Jack Welch:
Rivers was on the floor the full ten seconds. I counted him out before the bell rang. That is all there was to it.
By Timekeeper Harder:
I rang the gong ending the thirteenth round before Welch called to Wolgast that he was the winner. Rivers had been down about nine seconds, when the bell sounded.
By Joe Rivers:
Wolgast struck me a foul blow. Even at that, I was on my feet before ten seconds were up. Welch never reached ten at all. Wolgast quit. He was dogging it when he went to the floor.
By Ad Wolgast:
Rivers knew he was whipped. He knows it now. He struck me with his knee when he fell. The pain of that blow was awful. I thought my legs were five feet apart when I got to my feet.
By Joe Levy, Rivers' manager:
Joe was not knocked out. He was put down by a foul blow, and even then he was on his feet at the count of eight. I do not think the referee was competent.
By Tom Jones, Wolgast's manager:
It was a clean knockout. A stomach punch did it. Welch's ruling was the only one possible.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., July 5.—Ad Wolgast today retains the lightweight title by virtue of the verdict of Referee Jack Welch of San Francisco, who declared that Ad knocked out the challenger, Joe Rivers, in the thirteenth round of their scheduled twenty round fight at Vernon yesterday.

Never in the history of the fight game in Los Angeles has such confusion marked the termination of a battle. The end came when the fighters were engaged in a fierce rally against the ropes, and were fighting head to head. Suddenly Rivers said to the floor, his hands over his groin. Wolgast, almost at the instant, pitched forward to the canvas, his hands clasped about his stomach.

While both lay on the floor, Referee Welch counted. Ringside spectators aver that, at the count of five, the gong sounded, ending the round. Welch continued to count, but Rivers' handlers maintain that their boy dragged himself to his feet at the count of eight, and some persons even declare that Wolgast still was on the floor when Rivers left his knees.

Welch maintains that Wolgast was on his feet before Rivers, that he counted three over the prostrate challenger, and that the gong did not end the round until after Rivers had been declared out.

The scene that followed the decision was of the wildest disorder. Not one spectator in a hundred knew Welch's decision. Others, nearer the ringside were crying "Robbery." Meanwhile the crop of country constables of Vernon were making puerile efforts to clear the ring, which was filled with raving bugs. Rivers, tears streaming down his blood-stained face, begged for the bout to go on. Wolgast, after being assisted to his corner, had fallen back in his chair, half conscious.

Rivers is Hurt
Welch slipped from the arena during the commotion, and Wolgast, as soon as he could be moved, was taken to his training quarters at Doyle's camp near by. Rivers was given relief treatment in his dressing room at the arena, and then hurried to Los Angeles, where doctors who examined him declared that he had been badly hurt.

The Wolgast contingent indignantly denied that Wolgast had fouled his opponent. Tom Jones, the champion's manager, asserts that the wallop which put Rivers to the canvas was a hard right swing, following a left to the pit of the stomach. Wolgast himself stated that he knew the moment the blow landed that Rivers was out. His explanation of the general scramble on the mat is that Rivers' instinctively drawing up of his knee when the blow landed in his stomach, prodded the champion, unintentionally, in the groin.

After Bell
Timekeeper Harder, whose statement was anxiously awaited by the Rivers camp, asserted that Rivers was counted out after the bell had ended the round.

Charles Eytan, official referee of McCarey's fight club, who was at the ringside, gave his opinion that Wolgast was winning handsly at the time the mix up occurred. He further declared that if Harder's contention that the gong rang before Rivers was counted out is correct, both boys, under the Queensberry rules, should have been sent to their corners and the fight resumed. He declared that Welch probably was a victim of unusual circumstances.

Rivers is resting today at his

Bowels are Basis of Child Health

The careful mother, who watches closely the physical peculiarities of her children, will soon discover that the most important thing in connection with a child's constant good health is to keep the bowels regularly open. Stagnation, restlessness during sleep, irritability and a dozen and one similar evidences of physical disorder. At the first sign of such disorder give the child a teaspoonful of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin at night on retiring and Syrup Pepsin at night on retiring and repeat the dose the following night if necessary—more than that will scarcely be needed. You will find that the child will recover its accustomed good spirits, will eat and sleep normally. This remedy is a vast improvement over salts, cathartics, laxative waters and similar things, which are altogether

home here. He is suffering acutely from the alleged low blow. Rivers' managers, Joe Levy, said that doctors who examined Rivers declared that the Mexican narrowly escaped being ruptured. Wolgast spent the night at his camp. He showed few marks aside from facial cuts. He has no definite plans for the immediate future. Promoter McCarey stated that he will try at once to rematch the boys. It is probable that he will try to bring them together on Labor Day.

The Fight by Rounds
Round 1—Called at 4:42. Rivers led the fighting and they clinched. Rivers landed three lefts to the face in quick succession and Wolgast covered. Rivers was much faster and his blocking was better than the champion's. In a clinch Rivers sent in three stiff rights, jarring Wolgast. It was Rivers' round.

Round 2—Rivers opened a deep gash in Wolgast's neck. The blood spurted in a stream. Rivers pecked Wolgast ten times without a return and then put a stiff left to the stomach. Rivers put a stiff right to Wolgast's nose, starting a new flow of blood. Wolgast fell short while Rivers never missed once. It was Rivers' round.

Round 3—Wolgast took a stiff left in the stomach and head. The fighters exchanged fearful rights and lefts. Wolgast missed a right swing and Rivers put in another left to the wind. They fought like tigers. Wolgast went to a clinch and covered. Both were covered with blood. In a clinch Rivers opened the wound in Wolgast's neck. Round even.

Round 4—They clinched and Rivers sent Wolgast's head back with a right. Wolgast clinched, but could not land at close work. Again Rivers rocked Wolgast, but the champion bored in. Wolgast found much difficulty in hitting Rivers. Wolgast was wild. Again he missed and the Mexican put in left and right to wind. It was Rivers' round.

Fifth Round is Even
Round 5—They went into a clinch and both held on. Wolgast put a light left to the jaw and missed a right. In a neutral corner Rivers put left and right to wind and received both a light right to jaw. Then they stood in the middle of the ring looking at each other. They clinched and Rivers nearly upset Wolgast with a right to the jaw. The round was even.

Round 6—They clinched. Wolgast missed and was nearly upset again. Then Rivers put a stiff left to wind. Another right to the jaw rocked Wolgast, but he bored in. His judgment of distance was poor. In a clinch Rivers put right to jaw and Wolgast went down. He was up in an instant and they fought like tigers, head to head. It was Rivers' round by a big lead.

Round 7—Both were cautious. In a clinch Rivers backed the champion to the ropes. Wolgast then sent in left and right to the wind. Rivers covering. In the break both landed light lefts. Rivers then jarred Wolgast and the champion was wild, hitting low. Both seemed tired and clinched. Wolgast again hit low. It was Rivers' round.

Round 8—Wolgast tried with right and left, and missed both. Wolgast suddenly rushed and put lefts and rights to the wind, chasing Rivers around the ring. Both seemed content to do it at long range. Both were very tired and slowed down considerably. The round was slightly Wolgast's.

Ninth is Slow Round
Round 9—After a clinch Rivers got in a light left to the stomach. Wolgast began to crouch to protect his stomach. Rivers seemed to be resting as he kept away. It was the tamest round of the fight. Wolgast rushed suddenly and put a stiff left to stomach, making Rivers wince. Wolgast had a shade.

Round 10—Wolgast rushed and Rivers blocked, making the champion miss a left. Rivers kept away, pecking Wolgast and stepping back. In a clinch Wolgast made Rivers cover with swings to the jaw. Rivers suddenly jumped in and put a hard right over Wolgast's kidneys and clinched.

Round 11—Wolgast missed left to wind and Rivers hit him three times without a return. Rivers put a hard left to jaw. Both slipped and nearly rolled out of the ring. Rivers seemed to force the fighting. Wolgast could not hit him and clinched. Rivers then stood still and took four or five hard lefts and rights to the jaw, but never wincing. He then sent in a hard left, staggering the champion. Wolgast's smile had disappeared and he seemed very tired. Round even.

Round 12—Wolgast sent in a right to the wind, rushing Rivers to the ropes. Wolgast then tried hard to land on the wind, but could not get through Rivers' blocking. Time and again the champion missed. Rivers attempting to follow up his advantage. Both rushed, and head to head it was an exchange of dreadful blows. Rivers had the better of the mixing. It was Rivers' round.

Both Are Knocked Out
Round 13—Rivers rushed. They clinched, both holding on. Wolgast nearly went over from a right to the jaw, but bored right in, putting left to the wind. "Take your time, Joe," shouted Manager Levy to Rivers. "you've got him." Twice Wolgast missed, Rivers putting in lefts to the face. Wolgast was getting wilder than ever, but Rivers kept away. Both boys were fighting head to head. Wolgast suddenly crouched and sent in a terrific left directly over Rivers' groin. At the same instant Rivers put his right to Wolgast's jaw and the champion went down and was practically out. Rivers fell writhing in pain and Welch began to count. Claims of foul were made in behalf of Rivers but were not heeded by Welch. The referee picked Wolgast up from the floor and declared him the winner. His seconds had to carry him from the ring. Rivers was still lying on the floor, but in a moment arose unaided. The rink was instantly in a semi-riot. Welch seeing the crowd coming, announced that Wolgast was the winner and immediately disappeared.

"It was the worst case of robbery in the history of the American ring," said Manager Levy. "Never before have I seen a referee pick up a man and then give him the decision. The foul blow struck by Wolgast was seen by every one near the ringside. It was the fourth or fifth foul the champion had landed on Rivers. The sum total of it all is that Wolgast knew he was whipped and resorted to his foul tactics to save himself."

No one connected with Wolgast's camp would say a word and all of them jumped in an automobile and quickly left the pavilion.

CHICAGO DEPOSITS EXCEED BILLION

Although the deposits of Chicago banks now exceed a billion dollars no central power is seen to control as one is alleged to do in New York. Of the 70 state and national banks, 19 have deposits above \$10,000,000 and more each, ranging from that figure up to and above \$170,000,000. The growth of the west is shown in the fact that bank deposits increased 112 per cent during 1910 and capital expanded 164 per cent. The surplus and undivided profits show an increase of 160 per cent. Several of the biggest banks have affiliated with the large banks of New York but there are still others, among which The National Bank of the Republic is cited as a notable example, which are entirely independent interests and hold to a policy of encouraging western development with western money. Progress is being made in the movement to curtail the number of private banks which report to neither state nor federal authorities and in many cases have been found to be empty shams and not properly banks at all.

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Catsup—Snider's, pint bottle, 25c value at	18c	Shredded Cocoanut in bulk, finest quality, per pound	15c
Tomatoes—fancy pack, per can	13c	Choice Pink Salmon, 1 pound tall can, at	15c
Samoset Crackers, fresh baked, 3 pkgs. for	25c	Gold Dust, the large package at	18c
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French Lawns and Batiste in light and dark colors; always sold at 18c. Reduced for this sale at the yard **12 1/2c**

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32 inch Plaid Dress Gingshams, always sold at 18c. Reduced for this sale at the yard ... **12 1/2c**

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20 inch wavy Switches, regular \$1.50 value, at **98c**

24 inch wavy Switches, regular \$4.50 value, at **\$2.98**

26 inch wavy Switches, regular \$8.00 value **\$6.00**

All other Hair Goods reduced for this sale.

Basement Bargains

Remnants of Silks, from 1 1/2 to 6 yard lengths, values up to \$1.25, at the yard **29c**

White Embroidered Swiss Dimities and Lawns, values up to 25c, at the yard **10c**

Dress Gingshams in plaids and stripes, regular 15c values, at the yard **10c**

Bleached and Unbleached Bed Sheets, regular 65c value, each **42c**

15c quality Long Cloth, 10 yards to piece, at per piece only **85c**

One big lot of Embroidery Edges and Insertions, values up to 20c, at the yard **8 1/2c**

REMNANTS OF TABLE LINEN AND TOWELING AT ABOUT ONE-HALF REGULAR PRICE.

CARDINAL FARLEY APPROVES SCOUTS

Prelate Sanctions Forming of Scout Troops in Catholic Parishes in America

His Eminence, Cardinal Farley, approves the Boy Scouts of America and the forming of boy scout troops in parishes of the Roman Catholic Church. These troops will be known as the Catholic Boy Scouts of America and will be under the direct supervision of a priest or a Catholic layman. After a careful investigation of the principles of the Boy Scout Movement and after receiving reports from Roman Catholics throughout the country who have been actively interested in the Boy Scout work for more than a year, Cardinal Farley became convinced that the ideals and the activities of the Scout movement can be utilized in a most effective manner in developing boys. His emphatic announce-

ment in favor of the movement already has given incentive to the formation of troops of boy scouts in Catholic churches throughout the country.

Though hitherto some Catholic priests have been opposed to the movement and have discouraged Catholic boys from joining they gradually have come to see that the great principles of the Boy Scouts organization are non-sectarian; that boys of all creeds can take up new activities and apply them in accordance with the teachings of their own church. They also have come to see that there is no effort to keep from authority in the organization men who are Catholics, but that the aim is to get behind the movement men of all creeds and all professions.

The Cardinal's ideas of the Scout Movement are expressed by Monsignor Hayes, Secretary to the Cardinal, who said: "It is correct that the Cardinal has approved of the formation of divisions of the Boy Scouts within the parishes of his diocese so long as the movement is under proper Catholic auspices. That is the whole thing. Victor F. Ridder, son of Herman Ridder, has been much interested in the movement and has explained to His Eminence, who had

no objection to it so long as it is conducted under proper auspices. If these boys are going camping in the woods we think we should have something to say about it, and that their church should follow them. The movement is a very big one."

The approval of the Cardinal was secured on a condition he requested, which the New York Council assented to, viz.: that there be a Catholic Division of the Boy Scouts and that all parish branches within his jurisdiction prefix the title Catholic Division before their official designation. Thus the branch or troop in course of formation within the Cathedral parish is to be known as Cathedral Troop, Catholic Division of the Boy Scouts of America. Each troop or branch is to be under the immediate direction of the pastor or someone designated by them who shall be informed of the progress of the movement and be consulted from time to time.

Many prominent Catholics throughout the country are thoroughly in sympathy with the Scout Movement. Monsignor Thomas J. Shahan, D. D., President of the Catholic university of Washington and the Rt. Rev. Geo. A. Dougherty, Vice-rector of that institution, have expressed themselves to James E. West, Chief Scout Executive of the Boy Scouts of America, as in thorough sympathy with the Boy Scouts Movement. Pastors J. Wade, a banker and Judge Daniel G. Taylor, both of St. Louis, Mo., are enthusiastic supporters of the Scout Movement. In Washington, in Tulsa, Okla., in Kearney, N. J., in St. Louis and in many other cities there the troops of Catholic Boy Scouts.

Useful Accomplishments.

Every woman wants a cozy corner all her own—be that corner humble or handsome.

Every woman who does not have the home longing is abnormal. Home is made up of little things.

One of the largest of these little things is the ability to cook wholesome food.

Sewing and music are next. A woman might be as homely as can be, but if she can cook a good dinner, make a dress, and let her mood slip out of her finger tips on a piano, that woman will have a chance for a truly happy home a thousand per cent. better than her beautiful neighbor who cannot make even an apron, and who cooks badly for her family.

So I say to mothers, whether you have money or not, teach your daughters all the useful and necessary things in life, so that they will make good, homelike wives and mothers.

Natural Explanation.

"Why is it that women will not learn by experience?" "Because they object to Time's giving them any wrinkles."

WILSON BEGAN CAREER AT BAR

Democrat Nominee Was a Lawyer Before He Took Up Education; President of Princeton

WAS A POLITICAL REFORMER

Put in Power as Governor by Bosses, but Quickly Repudiated Them for Reform

It was as a lawyer that Woodrow Wilson made his first bow to the world, and as president of Princeton he became more widely known, but it was as a reformer that he achieved the limelight, and it was reform that landed him in the New Jersey governor's chair.

Born in Staunton, Virginia, December 28, 1856, he was christened Thomas Woodrow Wilson, but in his youth he cut off the "Thomas" because, as he said, he wanted to use only one name, and Thomas W. Wilson would have been too commonplace. Graduating from Princeton in 1879, he practiced law for two years in Atlanta, Georgia, before he became an educator. He taught history and political economy for three years in Bryn Mawr college, and was instructor in the same branches for two years in Wesleyan university, before he was engaged as a teacher of jurisprudence and politics in Princeton, his alma mater. He became president of Princeton, August 1, 1902 and held that position until October, 1910, when he resigned to become governor. In 1885 he married Miss Helen Louise Akson, of Atlanta, Georgia. Governor Wilson holds A. B., LL. D., Ph. D., and other degrees from Princeton, University of Virginia, Johns Hopkins, Brown, Harvard, Williams, Dartmouth and Yale universities.

It was as a writer that Woodrow Wilson first got before the people as a politician. He wrote voluminously of the evils of bossism, the corruption of politics, and the like, and quite naturally glided from the pen to the platform and banquet table, being asked to speak for various meetings and dinners in all the large cities.

"A prophet is not without honor save in his own country," and through his writing and after-dinner speeches, Woodrow Wilson was being talked about as a reformer long before the people of New Jersey considered him seriously.

As far back as 1904 people in the west were "talking about" Wilson as a presidential possibility, but New Jersey knew nothing of him or about it, and again at Denver, in 1908, he was "spoken of." But it was not until 1910 that the people of the doctor's adopted state "discovered" him. Then the democratic bosses of the corporation-ridden state decided that it was time to elect a governor. They had not had one since the days of Cleveland, and it was decided that reform was a good platform. Considering reformers, they picked on Wilson as a "man of the hour," and ran him. Wilson was elected, but the bosses soon were led to believe that they had "picked a lemon," for no sooner did "Prexy" have his long lean legs firmly entwined about the governor's chair rungs than he began loudly to defy. He defied the bosses, he defied the corporations, he defied everybody while the defying was good, and he made a noise that was heard throughout the country.

"The time when you can play politics and fool the people has gone by," was one of Governor Wilson's platitudes on the night he accepted the New Jersey "call" and there are those who now paraphrase his remarks thusly: "The time when you can play the people and fool the politicians has not come."

One of the most amazing incidents of Woodrow Wilson's campaign for the democratic presidential nomination was his embroglio with Col. George Harvey, editor of Harper's Weekly, and Col. Henry Courier-Journal, over the support accorded Wilson's boom by Harper's Weekly. For months the publication boosted Wilson in every issue, and then came the story in at Charlotte, N. C., newspaper that Governor Wilson had broken with Col. Harvey and requested him to discontinue his support of Wilson. Harper's Weekly came out with an explanation that it dropped Wilson at his request. Then Col. Watterson got into the New York of Col. Harvey, Gov. Wilson and himself, at which Wilson quarreled with Col. Harvey and Col. Watterson because they had enlisted in his behalf Thomas Fortune Ryan, a millionaire traction and tobacco magnate. Col. Watterson maintained that at first Wilson took kindly to the Ryan proposition. The proposal ended with Col. Watterson's proposal that the controversy be referred to an old fashioned court of honor. An incident of the affair was the publication of a letter that Gov. Wilson was said to have written to Jennings Bryan and hoping that he could be "knocked into a cocked hat." Col. Bryan evidently did not resent the letter, for he apparently was an admirer of the New Jersey governor at the Jackson Day dinner held shortly thereafter in Washington.

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WANTS U. S. CONTROL

SENATOR NEWLANDS, BEFORE THE DRAINAGE CONGRESS, ASKS FEDERAL SUPERVISION OF THE RIVER.

CHICAGO, July 5.—Whether Uncle Sam shall act with decision or merely temporize in checking the devastating river floods and in draining the overflowed areas was the theme of historic debate during the conference in Chicago of the executive committee of the National Drainage Congress which has tackled the big problem. The comprehensive plan embodied in the Newlands bill, has been advocated vigorously by several members of the committee but other members have held that beyond large expenditures for certain phases of the reclamation work of Drainage Congress had nothing to ask. Senator Newlands, whose bill provides the co-ordinated steps which would store up the surplus waters in fresher season, improve river transportation, check soil erosion and afford drainage of the greater areas of overflowed lands, stated his views vigorously, saying: "The great loss in lives and property and happiness caused by the floods in the Ohio and Mississippi valleys in April could have been prevented, and a recurrence of such a catastrophe can be avoided. The United States Government should undertake the work. The control of the Mississippi river and its tributaries and the prevention of floods is a great work in which is needed the co-operation of the nation with the states. It is true drainage does not appear in the constitution, but the words 'regulation of interstate commerce' do appear, and interstate commerce means navigation and navigation means river regulation and control from the very source to the mouth, including all the tributaries; and such regulation and control logically means also the restraint of the flood waters as a destructive agency and their restraint with a view to turning them into a beneficial agency."

Elephant Most Intelligent.

The elephant is by a long shot the most intelligent animal under man. Some horses know a great deal, some dogs are exceedingly bright, but for real sound sense and all-around long-headedness the elephant heads the list. He is not only bright, he is a deep thinker and profound philosopher, and has been known to do things that apparently required nothing less than human intelligence. Read the books that have to do with animal intelligence, with the wonderful things that our dumb fellow-beings have done, and while you will find much to the credit of the dog, horse and other animals, you will be impressed with the fact that, next to man, the brain-power of the elephant is the greatest among them all.

One way to decrease the cost of living is not to live so well, but it isn't a good way.

Cantines Maternelles.

There are five dining-rooms in Paris where from fifty to eighty nursing mothers daily receive free meals. Cantines Maternelles these restaurants were called when they were started eight years ago by Mme. Henry Couillet of Paris. At first the only passport needed was the possession of a baby, but owing to the development of a confusing habit of borrowing babies so as to procure a meal, the rule was altered, and the provision of free meals is now dependent upon regular attendance at an adjoining baby clinic.

Weight of Wheat and Oats.

A bushel of wheat weighs, on the average, 60 pounds, and oats from 38 to 40.

Impoverishment of the soil has accompanied the failure to impound and control the rainfall.

Crisp, Snappy Checkers

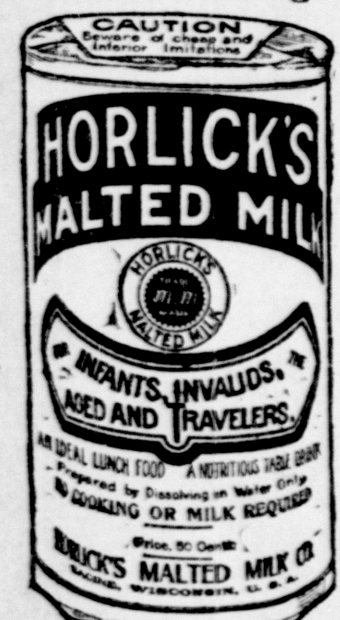
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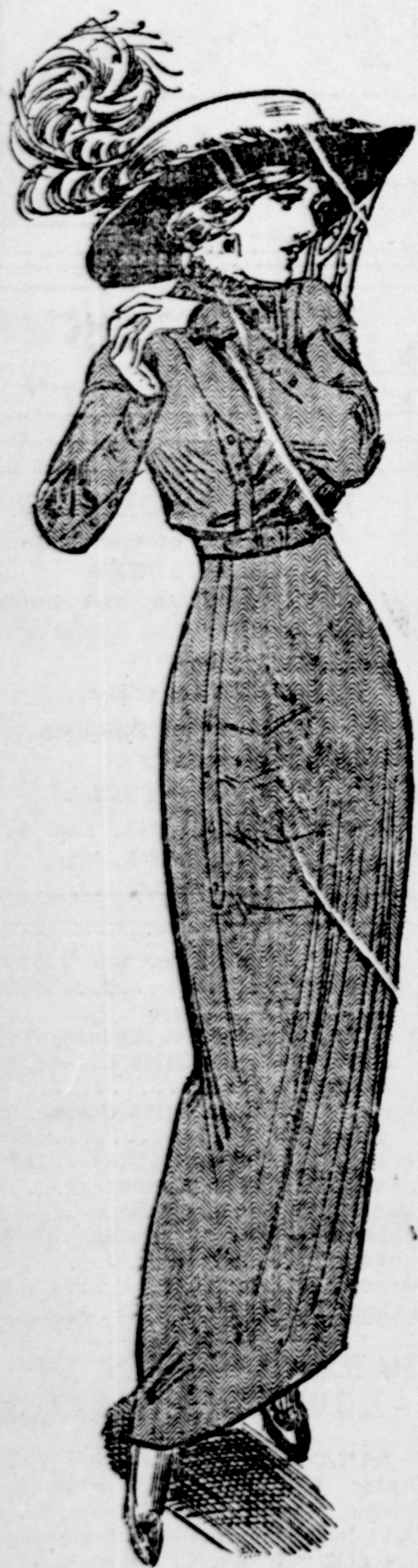
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Our Great Half-Yearly STOCK-TAKING SALE Begins Saturday



Being Women's, Misses' and Children's Outfitters exclusively and on a larger scale than ever (conducting two stores, one in La Crosse and one in Mankato) we are compelled to buy in larger quantities to meet the demands upon us, which leaves us with more broken lines at the close of the season—and it is our aim to **CLOSE OUT EVERYTHING—NO MATTER WHAT LOSSES MUST BE TAKEN. CONSEQUENTLY**, this is the greatest opportunity of the Spring season, and one that comes but once a year, when you can buy the newest and best Spring and Summer Apparel at a fraction of original value. Tailored Suits, Coats, Skirts, Dresses, Waists, Petticoats, and Muslin Underwear. Nothing will be reserved—Everything will go at the **LOWEST PRICE OF THE ENTIRE YEAR.**

STOCK-TAKING OFFERINGS FOR SATURDAY AND ALL NEXT WEEK

HUNDREDS OF DRESSES

AT LITTLE PRICES

Linen, Lingerie, Voile, Tissue, Bedford Cords, Gingham, Silk and Serge.

Women's, Misses' and Juniors' sizes.

Dresses to \$2.00, at	95c
Dresses to \$2.75, at	\$1.50
Dresses to \$3.50, at	\$1.95
Dresses to \$7.50, at	\$3.95
Dresses to \$10.00, at	\$5.00
Dresses to \$12.50, at	\$6.75
Dresses to \$20.00, at	\$10.00

EXTRA SPECIAL

Spring Suits, Spring Coats, values to \$25.00. Linen Coats, Linen Suits, values to \$10.00—

\$5.00

EXTRA SPECIAL

75 Spring Suits and Coats way below cost. Worth up to \$30.00—

\$10



Stock Taking Waist Bargains

2,000 to choose from.

Waists to \$1.25	45c
Waists to \$2.00	95c
Waists to \$2.50	\$1.35
Waists to \$3.50	\$1.95

Bargains in Ladies' Kimonos

\$1.50 Kimonos	95c
\$2.50 Kimonos	\$1.75
\$3.50 Kimonos	\$2.50

Extra Special

\$3.95 For Rain
Coats worth
up to \$6.75.

Extra Special

50c For \$1.25 Wash
Skirts. Slightly
soiled.

Extra Special

25c For Lawn Dress-
ing Sacques. 50c
values.

Extra Special

95c For Gingham
Petticoats. \$1.50
values.

TRUST SEIZES NEW FISHING REGION

Another great fisheries region is on the hook of the alleged fish trust of Chicago, the announcement being made in connection with the financing of the Booth Fisheries Co. that the Newfoundland salt water fish business is well under its control and that concessions from the Canadian government have been granted. It is believed that the concessions include an exclusive one for bait, which never before have been sold to foreigners. Contracts made are said to grant waterpower and 20 square miles per each plant built, there being in addition for cold storage plants a governmental refund of one-third of all moneys expended. A few months ago large salmon fishing interests of the north-west were secured and more recently the fish trade of New York City and of Boston was brought into line. Prior to that time the enormous fisheries of the Great Lakes and of Manitoba were controlled in a large measure by the Booth interests which also were well represented on the Gulf of Mexico. The Armour interests deny control of the fisheries company although personal counsel of J. Ogden Armour is said to be a dominant factor in the company.

RUSHFORD, MINN.

Miss Minnie Ahrens, a most able and convincing speaker, gave an illustrated lecture last Saturday evening at the Elite theater on "Child Development and Dangers" and "The Fly Pest." Miss Ahrens is sent out by the Infants' Welfare society of Chicago, and gave a plain, comprehensive talk upon the proper care of children and made a heartfelt appeal for more attention to their comfort during the hot summer months. Both this and the other part of her lecture was finely illustrated by films and those illustrating the fly pest must surely have set the more serious minded to thinking deeply, judging from the applause and words of hearty praise.

Mrs. Chas. Leff (nee Hazel Pierce), who lately arrived from Reeder, N. D., has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lucas of Hart, and is now at the home of her brother, Guy Pierce, in Fremont township.

It is rumored that Miss Cherry Robertson of this city was among those injured in the cyclone which struck Regina, Canada, last Sunday.

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afternoon, as she was to have changed cars there that day for a point nearer her claim, and the name of a Miss Robertson is among the list of those injured. We sincerely trust that the rumors are not true.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brunner, living two miles north of Rushford, are rejoicing over the arrival of an eight pound son, who made his appearance on the stork express last Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Goulish, who have been the guests of relatives here for some weeks, have returned to their home in St. Paul after a visit with friends in Witoka.

Last Sunday afternoon the period of intense heat and dry weather from which the locality has been suffering for over two weeks, was broken by a fine rain and Tuesday night another welcome shower visited us, greatly improving strawberries, gardens, etc.

A very quiet Fourth was spent here by most of our townspeople, a number of whom made up family picnics by way of celebrating.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Beers of Brooklyn are in St. Paul, the guests of friends.

Ed Vigard made a business trip to La Crosse last week.

E. Martin and family of Winona have been the guests of H. J. Martin and family.

Mrs. Lydia Glendening and chil-

dren of Gordon, Wis., have been visiting at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Nestor and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Nicholas.

Dan McCormick was a Twin city visitor last week.

James Maland has returned to Minneapolis after a visit with home folks here.

Miss Berriem of La Crosse, a trained nurse, has been in attendance upon a patient at the home of J. Johnson, in Pine Creek valley.

Mrs. Anderson and F. O. Abrahamson of Houston were Rushford callers last week.

Prof. Irving Sanford, who has the past year been instructor in our city schools, has lately been elected instructor of mathematics at the Winona normal and is now in Chicago, taking up a special course at the university. Mr. Craig of Iowa will take his place here.

Mrs. Adolph Loeken of Winona, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. A. Loeken of this city, has returned home, accompanied by Mrs. Lawrence of Rembeck, Iowa, who will make a brief visit at Winona.

A real estate deal was consummated last week by which Mr. James Robertson was made owner of the lots 9, 10, 11 and 12, block 2, Stevens addition, directly opposite the city hall. The property was purchased from Mrs. Lundblad and O. Tag-

land. Mr. Robertson will raze the old buildings and construct upon the sites a modern business structure of brick.

From present indications the hay crop of this section will prove to be the largest and best in years, farmers saying that where they expected to cut but one ton they have gotten three of most excellent quality.

One of the classes of the Presbyterian Sunday school is planning to hold a fancy work, cake and ice cream sale some time in the near future, the event to take place in the park.

Freddie Berg has lately entered the employ of Shriver and Son, at their store in this city.

Mrs. Storlie of Lanesboro was the guest last week of her daughter, Mrs. Thompson on Ferry street.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS OF WORLD IN MEET

The world's Sunday school convention in Zurich, Switzerland, in July, 1913, will be the seventh in the list of the world's gatherings of Sunday school forces. Beginning in London, 1899, the convention thus far have been held in St. Louis in 1893, London in 1898, Jerusalem in 1904, Rome in 1907, and Washington in 1910.

MINE DEATH RATE UNDER CONTROL

United States Bureau of
Mines Says High Tide
in Accidents Is
Past

RATE BEGINS TO DECREASE

317 Fewer Lives Lost in
1911 Than Year Previ-
ous; Average Is 3.74
Per Thousand

WASHINGTON, July 5.—That the high tide in the terrible death rate in American coal mines has been reached and passed is the confident belief of the officials of the United States Bureau of Mines.

Figures issued today by the bureau show that 2,517 men were killed in the mines last year as against 2,834 for 1910. This shows a reduction in number of lives lost of 317 in one year's time. The death rate in 1910 was 3.91 men in every 1,000 employed. The rate in 1911 was 3.74.

680 Less.

Compared with 1907, the darkest year in the history of American mining, when 3,197 men lost their lives, 1911 shows a decrease of 680 in number of men killed. It was following the record of this year that Congress authorized the government to begin investigations looking toward a reduction in the death rate and this was supplemented in 1910 by the creation of the Bureau of Mines.

Discussing the death statistics of the coal mines, Dr. Joseph A. Holmes, Director of the Bureau of Mines said: "While these latest mortality statistics in the coal mines of the country show slight improvement over the previous years, the United States has still no record to be proud of. In spite of the progress we have made, we are still far below the standard of safety that we ought to have reached."

"It is of course comforting to know that for every million tons of coal mined, and that for every life lost we have each year taken out of the earth more tons of coal. This is an improvement in the right direction. I hope that within the next year or two we will see as great an improvement in the reduction of the number of men killed per 1,000 men employed."

"The bureau is co-operating with the State Mine Inspectors, the mine workers and with the mine operators in an endeavor to solve many of the difficult problems connected with the coal mining industry in this country. In this effort all the above forces are co-operating in good spirit in the determination to bring about better conditions. In this co-operative effort there is also serious need of the statesmen. No branch of industry in this country is on so bad an economic basis today as is the coal mining industry, and this industry can never be placed on a satisfactory basis until, through important legislative changes, improvement in this economic basis is made possible."

Began In 1908.

It was early in 1908 that the federal government began its investigation of the causes of mine disasters following the climax of accidents in 1907. The record for 1907 and the following years is as follows:

1907, thirty-one hundred and ninety-seven men killed, or 4.88 in every 1,000 employed.

1908, twenty-four hundred and forty-nine killed, or 3.64 in every 1,000 employed.

1909, twenty-six hundred and sixty-eight killed, or 4 in every 1,000 employed.

1910, twenty-eight hundred and thirty-four men killed, or 3.91 in every 1,000 employed.

1911, twenty-five hundred and seventeen men killed, or 3.74 in every 1,000 employed.

POTATO GROWERS AFTER CUP

A trophy that is attracting considerable interest in southern Alberta is the \$40 silver cup donated by R. A. Darker, district manager of the Canadian Life Assurance company, to the International Dhy-Farming congress for the best peck of potatoes grown under dry farming conditions in southern Alberta, south of an imaginary line drawn east and west about 10 miles north of Calgary and exhibited at Lethbridge, October 21-26. There are many successful potato growers in this district, and this competition promises to be one of the features of the exposition next October.

THIN BLOOD IS EASILY REMEDIED

Every Dose of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Makes New Blood and Means Renewed Health And Strength.

People who are pale, languid, with slight palpitation of the heart, some difficulty in breathing and a tendency to fatigue are suffering from thin blood. They need only the resolution to take the right treatment and stick to it until cured. The remedy that can be relied upon is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. With every dose they make new blood and new blood means health and strength. They stop further progress of the disease and their success as a blood-builder can be plainly seen after a short trial. The red cheeks, good appetite, increased weight and strength, cheerful disposition and relief from the symptoms, all declare the general improvement in health. It is pure blood now that is traveling everywhere through the body and the benefit goes on until health is restored.

Mrs. F. J. King, of No. 124 Poplar street, Carriak, Pa., says:

"A few years ago I began to fail in health because of the poor condition of my blood. I was weak and tired out all of the time and sleep. I had frequent sick headaches and suffered terribly with them. I lost in weight. I was so blue and down-hearted that I felt as though I was never going to be well and strong again. I couldn't sleep well and had terrible dreams. I was nervous and irritable and couldn't stand still a minute."

"My mother advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. After I had used the first box, I began to gain. I used them perhaps longer than I needed to, but continued taking them until I was certain that I was cured."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contain the elements necessary to make new blood and, as the nerves get their nourishment from the blood, have been found invaluable in a wide range of diseases of the blood and nerves, such as rheumatism, after-effects of the grip and fevers, neuralgia, nervous debility, St. Vitus' dance and even partial paralysis and locomotor ataxia.

The remedy which gave Mrs. King complete health can be obtained at any drug store or direct from the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., at 50 cents per box; six boxes for \$2.50.

IS GOODBYE TO BE ABSOLUTE?

Singer Says Old Song Is
Responsible for Popular
Disuse of the
Phrase

"Is good-bye becoming an absolute expression? Judging by the reluctance of a large majority of persons to use the old-fashioned parting word, it can scarcely survive another generation."

The question comes from George Hamlin, the celebrated lieder singer, who laments the disuse into which the term has fallen.

"Say au revoir but not good-bye," the words of the famous old song, have nearly meant the death of the word good-bye," said Hamlin. "The suggestion of eternal farewell given by the lyric is justifiable and perverse. The word is a contraction of God be with you, and although this original meaning long since faded, the good-bye conveyed no sense of final parting nor unusual seriousness until the song became popular."

"Now-a-days superstition preys upon half the individuals to whom the word is addressed. They openly declare their dislike for the ancient benediction, not understanding its hallowed significance, and prefer to say 'so long' or counsel their companions against pocketing any superstitious money."

"Though levity and badinage are common in times of peace and prosperity, admiration still clings to sincere, dignified speech. What adopt adieu, au revoir, auf wiedersehen or slipshod slang if our grand old traditions, evanescent as many of them are, can be preserved to the strengthening of universal good-will by a simple 'good-bye'?"

FIRM INCORPORATES

MADISON, Wis., July 5.—The Chippewa River Power and Pile company of Grand Rapids, Wis., has been incorporated here with a capital stock of \$200,000. The stated purpose is the development of waterpower and the manufacture of electric current, paper and pulp. The incorporators are D. J. Arpin, E. P. Arpin and J. B. Arpin.

WHAT S.S.S. STANDS FOR

The familiar letters, S. S. S., stand for Swift's Sure Specific, a name honestly and fairly earned by a great blood remedy. It is worthy of its title because it really CURES every ailment resulting from impure blood. The majority of physical afflictions are caused by bad blood, because a weak, polluted circulation deprives the system of its necessary strength and disease-resisting powers. S. S. S. cures every disorder which comes from weak or diseased blood, it tones up and regulates every portion of the system, and creates an abundant supply of nourishing properties which fill the circulation and bring health to the body. S. S. S. is made entirely of healing, cleansing roots, herbs and barks, which are also possessed of great tonic properties. It does not contain a particle of mineral or other harmful drug, and is therefore the purest and safest blood medicine for young or old.

S. S. S. cures Rheumatism, Catarrh, Sores and Ulcers, Skin Diseases, Scrofula, Malaria and all other troubles of a deranged circulation. Write for free book on the blood and any medical advice. No charge for either.

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CROWDS JOIN IN CELEBRATIONS

Parade Marches from Market Square to Copeland Park; Fireworks Is a Feature

MANY GO TO MYRICK PARK

Program of St. Mary's Church Opens with Selection by Norden Band; Games Interesting

There were floats afloat in the big parade to the North side this morning, and the beauty and the beauty of the procession were drenched in a downpour that struck as the long line was making its way over the causeway. It was a bedraggled looking line of driving vehicles with soaking drivers and women with curls and tatum in solution that scattered for home. A brisk, gusty wind added to the unpleasantness of the experience.

But the North side declined to let its enthusiasm be quenched, taking the advice of Rodgers Williams to, "Trust in God, and keep your powder dry." It is understood that the oratory and fireworks escaped damage.

The Fourth of July is being thoroughly observed in La Crosse today. With the opening of the parade this morning, thousands of people flocked to Copeland park while an equally large number boarded street cars for Myrick park, where under the auspices of the St. Mary's church, the day is being also celebrated.

Headed by a band, the parade of the North Side Progressive league marched through the streets of the south side. The parade formed at the market square at 9 o'clock this morning. Numerous floats, representing the various business firms, manufacturers and jobbers of La Crosse, formed in line, while music was furnished by three bands that have been engaged by the committee. A large number of automobiles formed in the line of parade. The line of march was as follows:

Form at market square; to Pearl on Fourth, to Front on Pearl, to Main on Front, to Eighth on Main; to State on Eighth, to Third on State, to North side; on Hagar to Rose, on Rose to St. James, on St. James to Caledonia, on Caledonia to Clinton, on Clinton to Avon, on Avon to St. James, on St. James to park. One division of the parade includes the north end of George street in their line of march.

Word was received late yesterday afternoon by the committee in charge of the parade that the 1,200 soldiers of the Sixth cavalry would not arrive here until July 12. The committee had planned upon this regiment being the feature of the parade. The parade arrived at Copeland park shortly after 10:30 and the day's program was opened by a song by nearly 200 children of the Copeland playground who have been under the direction of Misses Clement and Mahoney.

Mayor John Denger was on the program for the dedication speech. Mr. John H. Moss, Milwaukee, former president of the Milwaukee Business Men's association, was secured to give the Fourth of July oration at 11 o'clock. The program to be given at Copeland park this afternoon is as follows:

12:30 p. m.—Dinner; refreshments served on the grounds by a number of societies.

1:30 p. m.—Drill by Onalaska Boy Scouts; baseball game, Viroqua vs. Nelson Clothing company.

2:30 p. m.—Boys' sack races; girls' race under ten years; boys' three-legged race; girls' race under 15 years; fat man's race; ladies' peanut race.

4:00 p. m.—Midguts' race, under 4 feet 10 inches; 100 yard race, free for all.

4:30 p. m.—Baseball, North La Crosse vs. Summit Stove company. 7:00 p. m.—Walking of greased pole over the water; boys' swimming race; launch parade.

8:00 p. m.—Grand spectacular display of fireworks by direction of a Chicago expert.

Among the leading attractions will be the dancing pavilion, the merry-go-round, races and games, but the final number, the fireworks, promises to surpass all others.

Myrick Park

The celebration at Myrick park opened this morning with a selection by the Norden band which was followed by an interesting baseball game. Games of all kinds and amusements both for old and young are distributed about the park. Thousands had assembled at 11 o'clock and the crowd was gradually growing larger.

Dinner will be served by the Ladies of St. Mary's church from 12 until 2 and supper will be served from 5 until 7 o'clock. One of the leading features of the day will be the concert by the Norden band in the afternoon. This band will furnish music in the morning and will give a high class musical program this afternoon.

The greased pig attraction, without doubt the funniest feature of the program, has been saved for this afternoon. After this event another

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JOHNSON WILL NOT HAVE WALKAWAY

Tad Powell Thinks that the Champion May Be Surprised by Jim Flynn

LIL ARTHA IS OVERWEIGHT

Lacks Former Punch and Is Not Training as Faithfully as His Opponent

(By "Tad" Powell)

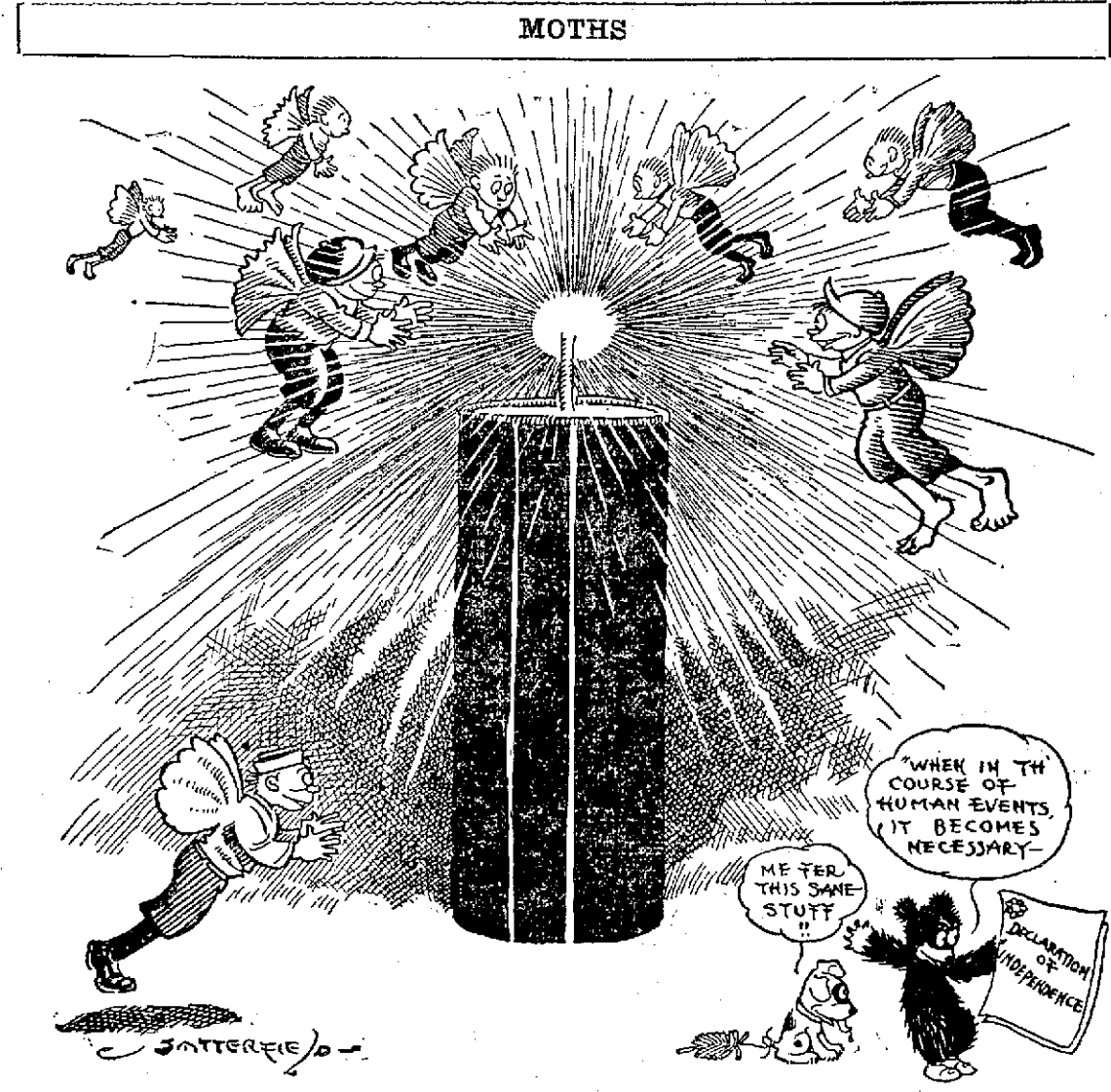
GLORIETTA, N.M., July 4.—After looking over Johnson and Flynn at their training camps and sizing up their work-outs, the observer is struck with the idea that the Johnson-Flynn heavyweight championship scrap to be held in Las Vegas on July Fourth isn't going to be the walkaway the prevailing odds would indicate. The dope sent out by most sport writers on the ground tends to impress the reading public with the idea that Flynn is a White Hope with a sort of half hearted gasp on the Hope part. If Johnson is as much cleverer than Flynn as is generally supposed, their dope may be all right. If he hasn't lost any of his quickness while battling about among the bright lights, he may live up to expectations. If he cuts off some fifteen pounds and gets down to 212 pounds during the coming week, maybe he can do the business as easily as many suppose. Maybe, if he develops a knockout punch, which he hasn't got now, as he demonstrated a couple of days ago when he got sore at Marty Cutler and tried to put him out, maybe he can deliver the goods as easily as he is touted able to do. Maybe his ring generalship and cleverness is such that he can put the kibosh on Flynn after treating himself only to a hair cut and a shave, as he recently remarked, but when a young fellow like Flynn, whose middle name is Hustle, ties into the big smoke, maybe Johnson won't have the clinch he thinks. This is no tout for Flynn, particularly, but the same gait Johnson is going has proven the undoing of more than one champ.

The weight proposition is going to cut a considerable factor in the fight. Johnson is vastly overweight and that will be a handicap. But Flynn is far under the weight with which he is credited. Sport writers are sending out the dope that he will weigh in at 195 ring side. He won't. Flynn is nearer a 153 pound man. This boosting of Flynn's weight and touting of Johnson's fastness is being sent over the wires to inveigle in a lot of sports who, by reading the dope, will figure that Flynn will be nearly evenly matched with Jack Johnson in weight. Or they figure that many will come just to see Johnson perform.

About the conditions of the two men, there is no comparison. Johnson is hobnobbing with white admirers, male and female, until the late hours of the morning, swinging partners through those dreamy "rag" and "turkey trots" and Texas "Tom-Toms." The other night Flynn was at a dance. He'd rather dance than do anything, next to fighting. But at 10 o'clock he climbed into his auto and hiked for bed. He's training hard and is in perfect condition right now. Johnson weighs about 225, though his manager is giving it out as 216. On top of that he isn't plugging. Only the other day he boxed three rounds with Marty Cutler. His sparring partners have been instructed not to jolt him in the body as his innards are not working any too well after a few years of high stepping. Cutler stung him one that made the champ wince and he swore like a trooper at Marty and went after him. Now, you might expect that something started. It didn't. It is true Marty's nose looked like an overripe tomato when the three rounds ended, but there wasn't a punch that completely put Cutler out, though Cutler was groggy and it didn't take a Philadelphia lawyer to see what the smoke was trying to do. Johnson says he can't punch as hard as formerly, but laughingly says that he has a few left that will cop the coin. Maybe he has. Another thing, when the three rounds ended, Johnson's sides were flapping in and out like the sides of one of these little lizards that crawl about on the rocks. His wind isn't what I'd call better than rotten. And a large roll of fat hung loosely across his abdomen, showing that he has much to take off during this last week. But maybe his cleverness is all that is necessary to do the business, and I'm half inclined to think it will be sufficient, even in the face of some pretty flagrant deficiencies.

About his cleverness business, let me say that the gentleman with the evening complexion is some nifty. When he boxes with his sparring partners, he doesn't wait for them to deliver their punches and block them at the side of his head or body. He reaches out and picks them off before they fairly get started from the other fellow's shoulder.

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WILSON TO MEET PEERLESS LEADER

Believed Two Progressives Will Stump the Country in Campaign Together

SEES NATIONAL COMMITTEE

Big Democrats Meet Party Nominee Today to Choose a Manager for the Struggle

SEA GIRT, N. J., July 4.—Governor Woodrow Wilson today announced that he will hold a conference here in the near future with William J. Bryan. The Nebraskan is said to be on his way home, but it is expected he will return east soon. It is believed that Bryan and Wilson will arrange to stump the country together during the campaign, but no announcement to that effect has been made.

The platform adopted at Baltimore has not as yet had the full attention of the governor. He said today that while he has not had time to read it carefully, that he expected to do so soon, and would not make a statement concerning it until then. It was evident from his manner, however, that he was pleased with it. His speech of acceptance will deal with it in full, it is said.

The national committee was expected to arrive at 2:30 this afternoon and go into session with Wilson at once. The meeting was called to select a campaign chairman and make plans for the campaign. It was thought that W. F. McCoombs of New York who managed Wilson's nomination campaign, would be named as chairman of the campaign committee, although Congressman Burleson of Texas and National Committeeman Robert Rudolph of New Jersey were also regarded as possibilities. Governor Wilson could not say today whether he would resign as governor to take the stump.

Visitors continued to pour in on Governor Wilson through the forenoon and telegrams and letters of congratulation arrive almost without interruption. The governor spent most of the morning answering congratulatory messages, but also found time for a reception to his friends. A short automobile ride with Mrs. Wilson. He also planned the reception for the national committee, having a big tent pitched on the lawn for the meeting place.

MAN ACCUSED OF EIGHT MURDERS

SIoux CITY, Iowa, July 4.—Charged with the murder of the Jos. Moore family of six and two guests at Villisca, Iowa, June 10, Frank Roberts, a negro, is held by the Sioux City police.

Sheriff A. A. Jackson of Red Oak will arrive here today with the warrant for Roberts' arrest. Roberts ran for Roberts' arrest. Roberts claims he was at Clarinda, Iowa, the night of the murder. He has gone there to spend his vacation. He has lived in Sioux City since 1906, and for three years has worked as a porter in a photographic studio.

BOYS EXAMINE MASTER

BELGRADE SCHOLARS MAKE TEACHER PROVE HIS ABILITY TO TEACH THEM BEFORE ACCEPTING HIM

BELGRADE, July 4.—Their former schoolmaster having been dismissed for inefficiency, the boys of the village school of Subiel, Servia, took it upon themselves to see that his successor was not less learned than they were.

When Milorad Militchewitch arrived to take charge he was backed into a corner while the boys fired volleys of questions at him. He was asked to define a dozen Latin nouns by some, complicated questions in arithmetic were put by others, and still others demanded accurate geographical information.

The new master consented to the examination on condition that his tormentors take turns, and, having acquitted himself to their satisfaction, he was allowed to depart with a statement from the oldest pupil that, now they were sure he would not have to use notes like his predecessor, he could come and teach them tomorrow if he liked.

FIRE DEPARTMENTS "SHOW" ALDERMEN

During the course of the inspection of the fire houses made by the aldermen of the city yesterday afternoon, three alarms were sent in to test the speed of the departments. No. 5 made the distance from the fire house to Gund's brewery in two minutes and fifteen seconds and No. 3 made the distance in three minutes and fifteen seconds.

In most cases the departments were found to be in good condition but the building and grounds committee will recommend a large number of repairs.

While the question of gradually installing automobile trucks to replace the horses was discussed at considerable length yesterday and many of the aldermen seemed to favor this plan, it is doubtful if any action will be taken in the immediate future. This has been before the council for several years but has been continually postponed owing to the heavy costs.

BONUS ON CHILDREN

PARIS, July 4.—Well nigh desperate over the alarming decrease in the birth rate in France, the cabinet will shortly introduce in the chamber of deputies a bill for bonuses for mothers of more than four children. The minimum will be in the neighborhood of \$100 per child, though the age of the mother and the number of children will cause a variance in this amount.

A tax on bachelors and childless couples will probably be advocated as a means of raising the money to pay the bonuses.

TO HONOR WRIGHT

PARIS, July 4.—A monument to Wilbur Wright, the first birdman of the world, is to be erected at Pau if plans now under way materialize. It was at Pau that Wright startled the world by his sustained flights. In the meantime there is a movement on foot to change the name of some street in Paris to that of the premier aviator.

CROWD FOR BOUT IS LARGER TODAY

Believed About 6,500 Will Witness Johnson-Flynn Battle This Afternoon

BETTING ODDS CHANGE TRIFLE

2 to 5 Offered on Flynn, and Even Money He Will Stay Twelve Rounds

EAST LAS VEGAS, N. M., July 4.—Although far less than the number expected was in Las Vegas this morning to witness the Flynn-Johnson world's championship contest, the promoters of the battle were agreeably surprised when the late trains discharged scores from all points that not even the most sanguine had expected. Tuesday night the gloom around fight headquarters was thicker than a Senegambian's skull. The money in the box amounted to less than \$25,000, which, with the \$10,000 guaranteed by the citizens of Las Vegas, was little more than sufficient to meet Johnson's guarantee. Great store was set by the expected arrivals Wednesday morning, but they failed to materialize. Few came in automobiles after hard drives over the desert, but trains failed to disgorge more than a corporal's dozen. The first ray of hope came when the Denver special, the first to arrive, brought an even one hundred into the city. The Denverites seemed to be harbingers of better times to come and from the moment of their arrival until late at night automobile parties augmented the arrivals by train, more than coming up to the expectations of those who saw little more than 3,000 around the arena at the hour the battle was scheduled to start.

The indications at 9 o'clock today were that the crowd would run up to between 6,000 and 6,500.

With the coming of a big delegation from Pueblo, Flynn's home town, there was a bit of a switch in the betting. The Puebloans offered plenty of 2 to 5 money on their favorite, but the Johnson crowd held off for 1 to 2. Betting on the rounds also showed a change, even money being offered that Flynn would stay twelve rounds, as against ten rounds last night.

Johnson was up with the larks, and after a short stroll went to the rubbing board for a good rub down. A hearty breakfast then followed, and then the champion and his handlers repaired to the veranda, where the morning was spent in discussing everything save the fight, the chat being varied by indulgence in a little horseplay, which is one of the big negro's favorite forms of amusement.

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FIND MORE DEAD IN REGINA RUINS

Official List of Twenty-eight Is Gradually Growing as Bodies Are Found

SOLDIERS GUARD WRECKAGE

Ruined District in Path of Storm Is Surrounded by Red-coats and Police

REGINA, Sask., July 4.—While the official list of dead is announced at twenty-eight today, an occasional victim of Sunday's cyclone is dug out of the debris daily. Thousands of men and teams are clearing away the wreckage. Much of it is burned after it is searched for concealed bodies.

Available cash for relief purposes today reached a total of \$75,000. All provincial governments and cities are sending money. The concentration camps which had 3,000 patrons Monday, are rapidly diminishing as families secure temporary quarters.

Extent of the Disaster

An accurate list of the buildings destroyed shows warehouses and wholesale places destroyed, 62, value, \$750,000; seven churches, two Y. M. A. buildings, value, \$240,000; seven schools, value, \$125,000; large residences, value, \$785,000; 140 small residences, value, \$150,000.

There are many men, in fact the majority, who will find it difficult to get money to build again, and a proposal is being made that either the government loan the money, or some of the relief fund be used, to make loans at long terms at about 6 percent.

Mayor McArthur has suggested the building of municipally owned houses to be erected between Albert and Dewdney street, west of Albert. The plan is being discussed.

Soldiers Guard Wrecked District

The work of relief is being systematically carried on and a dozen different committees are at work. The need for assistance is hourly growing. There are hundreds of families who are living with friends, some of whom cannot afford to quarter them much longer. They will have to apply soon to the city for help and for shelter. The soldiers did valuable service all last night and today, patrolling the devastated area. It gave the impression of an armed camp to see the guards tramping up and down the streets, and sentries at every corner. The soldiers will continue in charge until the work of clearing up the ruins is well advanced.

The mounted police are patrolling the north end district. There have been a few minor cases of looting.

FIND PRESTON MAN DEAD BENEATH TREE

PRESTON, Minn., July 4.—The body of Victor Patterson, 18 year old son of George Patterson, was found yesterday under a tree on a farm near the village of Canton. When found the body lay face down, with a revolver in his right hand. The young man was last seen early last Friday morning, when he returned from the neighboring town of Fountain with some companions. The coroner's verdict is not known yet.

THIRD PARTY IS NOT NECESSARY

MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 4.—That the nomination of Governor Wilson will eliminate the third party movement is the belief of Wisconsin progressive republicans. A score of state leaders interviewed yesterday expressed this opinion.

NINE ALLEGED DRUNKENNESS

SEATTLE, Wash., July 4.—Nine witnesses were examined by the congressional committee in the impeachment trial of United States Judge C. H. Hanford, all of them being questioned as to knowledge of Hanford's alleged drunkenness. This makes a total of 27 witnesses who have been called to give testimony to the charge of drunkenness made against the judge in impeachment complaint.

All yesterday's witnesses accused the judge of intoxication.

FIND LOST CHILD

COUDERAY, Wis., July 4.—Creeping on the ground and crying piteously for water, Ray Argetzinger, the 3-year-old boy who was lost in the woods at noon Sunday, was found at 2 o'clock yesterday morning near Devil's Lake, in the Couderay Indian reservation, four miles from the place where he disappeared.

THINKS GUN EMPTY

ASHLAND, Wis., July 4.—John Corash was accidentally killed on Wednesday at Mellen while playing with an older boy who had a shot gun. The lads did not know it was loaded.

FORM AVIATORS' UNION

PARIS, July 4.—A union of aviators, former for the purpose of controlling aviation meets, salaries of pilots, conditions of engagements and the like, is proposed here by Alfred Leblanc, the famous French aviator.

The new union will be called "Friendly Society of Aviators," and all licensed pilots are eligible. Already nearly all of the French aviators have announced their willingness to join.

ELECTRICAL STORM WORST IN YEARS

What is reported to be the worst electrical storm in recent years is raging between Tomah and the Twin Cities, according to advices received in La Crosse today. Wire communication is partly disabled, and details are meager, but it is believed the storm is part of the same elemental disturbance which struck La Crosse at 10:30 today. The rain, despite the fact that it puts a literal damper on many pleasure trips, was welcomed as a relief from the hot and sultry atmosphere of the last few days.

THIRTY-FIVE DIE IN TRAIN WRECK

Express Train Crashes Into Rear of Standing Passenger Near Corning, New York

FOG IS BELIEVED THE CAUSE

Thought Heavy Murk Prevented Engineer of Express from Seeing Train in Front

CORNING, N. Y., July 4.—Thirty-five passengers were killed and fifty injured when an express train crashed into the fast westbound Lackawanna passenger train No. 9, two miles east of this city.

The passenger train, which runs from New York to Buffalo had been standing on the track for twenty minutes when the express train, which carried no passengers, struck it in the rear at full speed.

Down Embankment

The two day coaches attached to the rear of No. 9 were hurled down an embankment and the express plunged half way through the rear Pullman of the standing train before it came to a stop.

The collision occurred at 5:25 o'clock this morning. Most of the killed were passengers in the day coaches who were going home to spend the Fourth.

A number of the injured were pinned under the wreckage for hours and their groans and shrieks could be clearly heard. At one time there were fifty persons, many of them fatally injured, lying on the floor of the emergency room at the local hospital. Every undertaker in Corning was called to help care for the dead, but their wagons were first pressed into service to carry the injured to the hospitals.

Had No Warning

The place where the wreck occurred was a straight stretch of track. So far as can be ascertained the engineer of the express train had no warning that the passenger train was in his way. It is believed that when he first saw it he thought the train was standing on a parallel track.

The crowded passenger train was held up by a break in one train on the track dead ahead. No. 11 came along at the rate of sixty miles an hour, and William Shaver, the engineer, it was believed, failed to see the stalled train ahead, because of a dense fog that prevailed at the time. The engine crashed through the observation car and telescoped three coaches ahead.

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MELLON CASE SETTLED

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 4.—Ending practically by agreement among themselves, one of the most bitterly contested divorce actions ever brought in the local courts, the pro-notaries' records today showed that Millionaire Banker Andrew Mellon has been granted a divorce from his wife, Nora McMullen Mellon on the grounds of desertion.

Mellon in his original proceedings charged his wife with infidelity and named George Alfred Curphey, an English army captain, as co-respondent.

QUEER "MOVIE" AD

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WOLGAST FIGHTS FOR CHAMP'S BELT

Diamond Stomacher Is the
Prize of Badger's Battle
with Mexican To-day

LOS ANGELES, Cal., July 4.—Joe Rivers, California's pampered pugilistic pet, of championship caliber? Can the punishing Mexican boxer lower the colors of the present lightweight title holder, Ad Wolgast? These questions should be satisfactorily answered this afternoon.

In the Vernon arena of the Pacific A. C., at 3 o'clock this afternoon, Wolgast and Rivers meet in a scheduled twenty-round bout, with Jack Welch acting as referee. The old-fashioned "championship belt" idea has been hauled back from musty long ago, and to the winner will go the McCarey diamond-studded stomacher, emblematic of the world's lightweight championship.

Rivers is unfortunate in a measure, as a victory for the challenger is sure to attract the finger of be-littlement. No matter how decisively the Mexican might score over the present lightweight title holder, it is sure to be claimed by Wolgast's friends that the operation for appendicitis was what did for the Dutch lad.

Wolgast is a veritable Queensberry bulldog. A natural fighter, he fights more from instinct than from any set plan. Always boring in, flailing away with jabs, hooks, uppercuts and other hand blows, the champion throws himself at an opponent and there is positive victory on the end of any one of his punch-

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

National League			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	54	11	.831
Chicago	36	26	.581
Pittsburg	37	27	.578
Cincinnati	36	32	.529
Philadelphia	27	34	.443
St. Louis	27	43	.388
Brooklyn	25	40	.385
Boston	20	49	.290
American League			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Boston	48	22	.686
Philadelphia	39	27	.591
Chicago	39	29	.574
Washington	41	31	.569
Cleveland	34	34	.500
Detroit	34	37	.479
New York	19	46	.292
St. Louis	19	47	.279
American Association			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Columbus	55	28	.663
Toledo	50	29	.632
Minneapolis	48	30	.615
Kansas City	37	42	.468
Milwaukee	35	46	.432
St. Paul	34	47	.420
Louisville	29	64	.317
Indianapolis	30	51	.370
Wisconsin-Illinois League			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Appleton	38	18	.679
Oshkosh	33	24	.579
Racine	32	26	.552
Wausau	31	27	.534
Rockford	28	29	.491
Green Bay	26	31	.456

es that finds the right spot. Rivers, wasp-like, and clever puncher, fights along more scientific lines, not being so willing to trade blow for blow as the dare devil champion who is possessed of the idea that the 133-pound man doesn't live who can whip him.

Aurora	22	34	.393
Madison	19	40	.322
YESTERDAY'S RESULTS			
National League			
Brooklyn, 1-9; New York, 2-10.			
Chicago-Pittsburg; no game scheduled.			
Philadelphia, 8; Boston, 5.			
St. Louis-Cincinnati; no game scheduled.			
American League			
Boston, 7; Philadelphia, 2.			
Cleveland, 8; Detroit, 6.			
Washington, 3-10; New York, 2-2.			
Chicago-St. Louis; no game, rain.			
American Association			
Milwaukee, 7; St. Paul, 6; (ten innings.)			
Kansas City, 4; Minneapolis, 2.			
Louisville, 2; Toledo, 1.			
Indianapolis, 2; Columbus, 1.			
Wisconsin-Illinois League			
Racine, 7; Aurora, 0.			
Wausau, 3; Green Bay, 1.			
Appleton, 3; Oshkosh, 0.			
Madison, 4; Rockford, 1.			
GAMES TODAY			
National League			
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Chicago at St. Louis—Two games.			
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Cleveland at Chicago—Two games.			
St. Louis at Detroit—Two games.			
New York at Washington—Two games.			
Boston at Philadelphia—Two games.			
American Association			
Kansas City at Milwaukee—Two games.			
St. Paul at Minneapolis—Morning.			
Minneapolis at St. Paul—Afternoon.			
Toledo at Indianapolis—Two games.			
It takes a lot to live—and it requires a house on the lot.			

SPORTING NEWS

PHILLIES TAKE FIRST OF SERIES

Boston Puts Up Two Pitchers, but Both Go Down to Defeat; Score 8 to 5

GIANTS TAKE DOUBLEHEADER

Brooklyn Loses One Game to Marquard, Who Allows Nine Hits to Rucker's Three

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Philadelphia, 8; Boston, 5.
BOSTON, July 4.—The Phillies hammered two Boston twirlers in the first game of the series yesterday and won by a score of 8 to 5. Score: R H E Philadelphia . . . 001000430—8 13 2 Boston . . . 310000010—6 11 5 Batteries: Chainers, Curtis, Schutze and Doolin; Hess, White and Rariden.
NEW YORK, July 4.—The Giants took a double header from the Dodgers yesterday, 2 to 1 and 10 to 9. Marquard opposed Rucker in the first game and made his record nineteen straight. He was lucky to win, as he allowed nine hits against the Naps' three. Score: R H E First game— R H E New York . . . 001000000—1 9 3 Boston . . . 00010010x—2 3 3 Batteries: Rucker and Miller; Marquard and Meyers.
Second game— R H E Brooklyn . . . 103101300—9 17 4 New York . . . 31001302x—10 9 1 Batteries: Knetzer, Kent and Erwin; Ames, Tesreau, Wiltse, Mathewson, Wilson and Meyers.
AMERICAN LEAGUE
Cleveland, 8; Detroit, 6.

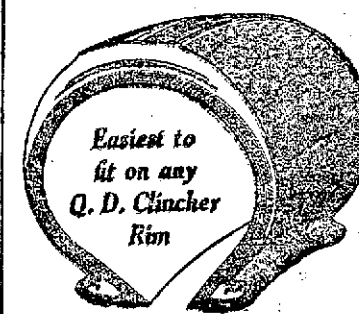
DETROIT, July 5.—The Tigers tried another ninth inning rally yesterday, but fell shy two runs of tying it up and the Naps won, 8 to 6. Only one was down and two were on in the ninth when Delehanty shot a cannon ball straight to Lajoie's mitts for a double play. Score: R H E Cleveland . . . 104110010—8 21 1 Detroit . . . 001100004—6 11 3 Batteries: Kaler, Blanding and Easterly; Works, Lake and Stange.
WASHINGTON, July 5.—The much abused Yankees dropped two more games yesterday, Washington winning 3 to 2 and 10 to 2. Shark's triple brought a ninth inning victory to the Nationals in the opener and in the second session it was a case of too much Johnson. Score: R H E First game— R H E New York . . . 000200000—2 9 2 Washington . . . 000200001—3 6 1 Batteries: Warhop and Sweeney; Vaughan and Henry.
Second game— R H E New York . . . 010000100—2 6 2 Washington . . . 04013101x—10 15 1 Batteries: Fisher and Sweeney; Johnson, Mausser and Ainsmith.
PHILADELPHIA, July 5.—The errors of Barry and Oldring gave Boston three runs in the fourth yesterday and, adding four more in the ninth on four clean hits, they won 7 to 2. This was the only time Coombs was hit hard. The Athletics could do little with Collins. Score: R H E Boston . . . 000300004—7 11 2 Philadelphia . . . 011000000—2 7 4 Batteries: Collins and Carrigan; Coombs and Lapp.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Louisville, 2; Toledo, 1.
LOUISVILLE, July 4.—Louisville put over the winning run in the ninth yesterday and trimmed the Mud Hens, 2 to 1. Score: R H E Toledo . . . 000010000—1 4 1 Louisville . . . 000100001—2 7 1 Batteries: James and Carlsch; Toney and Ludwig.
INDIANAPOLIS, 2; Columbus, 1.
COLUMBUS, July 4.—Indianapolis defeated Columbus in eight in-

nings yesterday, 2 to 1. Score: R H E Indianapolis . . . 10100000—2 10 1 Columbus . . . 000000001—1 9 1 Batteries: Ashenfelder and Clark; McQuillen, Cook, Smith and Rapp.
KANSAS CITY, 4; Minneapolis, 2.
MINNEAPOLIS, July 4.—Kansas City won a pitchers' battle from Minneapolis by bunching their hits. Score: R H E Kansas City . . . 000030100—4 8 2 Minneapolis . . . 101000000—2 6 1 Batteries: Maddox and O'Connor; Liebhardt and Owens.
MILWAUKEE, 7; St. Paul, 6.
ST. PAUL, July 4.—The Brewers took the last game of the series yesterday in ten innings by the score of 7 to 6. Score: R H E St. Paul . . . 302000000—6 Milwaukee . . . 010212001—7 Batteries: Thomas, Lary, Gardner and Marshall; Nicholson, Slapnicka and Schalk.

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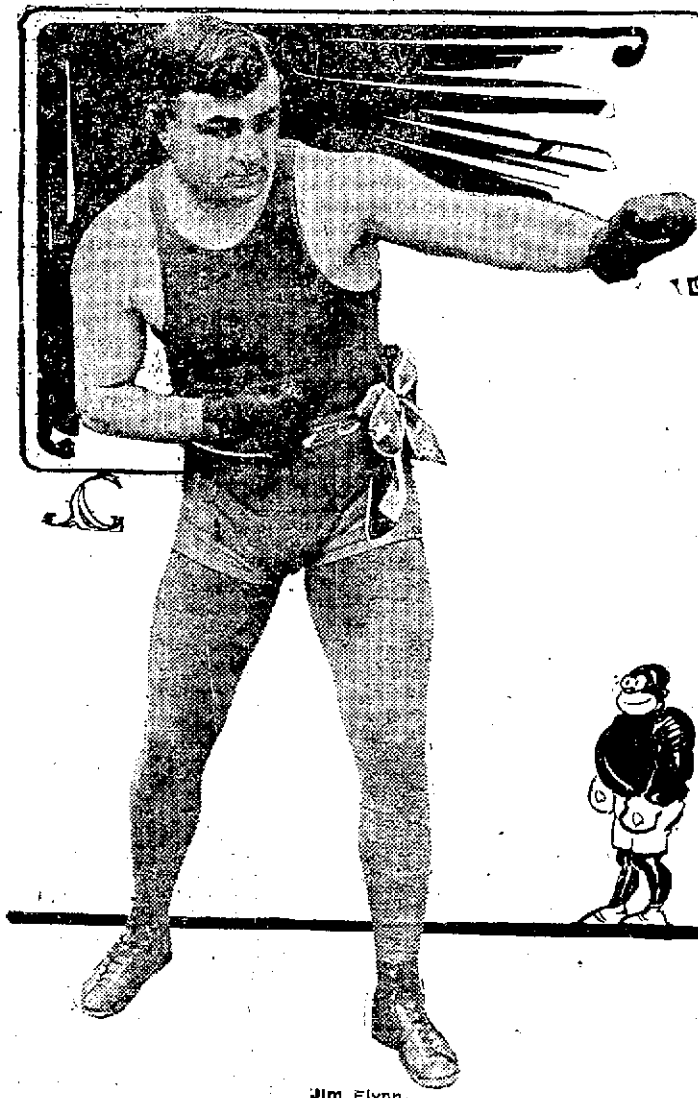
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WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

Moran of the Brooklyn, was the hitting star of the day. He annexed two triples and two singles in the second Giant game.
Rucker really outpitched Marquard, allowing four hits to the Rubes' nine. But the Rubes won his 19th starlight game.
Rucker fanned five and passed one. Rubes fanned three and walked five.
Walter Johnson just cannot be satisfied with the pitching honors of the American league. He is never happy unless he is pounding out a triple. He lambasted Ray Fisher for one.
Dode Paskert gathered four hits in five times up.
Cleveland stole four bases on Stanage. Olson swiped two of them.
The Dodgers doubled the hits on the Giants in both games.
Jack Daughert at first base had only four put outs behind Rucker's pitching. There were only six assists, which shows that Nap had the Giants hitting in the air.
WISCONSIN-ILLINOIS LEAGUE
Rockford at Madison—Two games.
Aurora at Racine—Two games.
Oshkosh at Appleton—Two games.
Wausau at Green Bay—Two games.
Will Insist on Baths.
The master of Navan Union, County Meath, Ireland, in which institution compulsory baths for able-bodied tramps have been introduced recently, reported that 14 tramps were admitted the previous night, and, rather than take baths, seven left. The chairman then stated that the motto of the institution from henceforth, should be "Swim or Shift."

MOTORCYCLISTS IN MEET

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., July 4.—Eighteen motor cyclists warmed up their machines in preparation for the eight events this afternoon at the State Fair motor cycle meet. Rain caused the postponement of the first day's card.

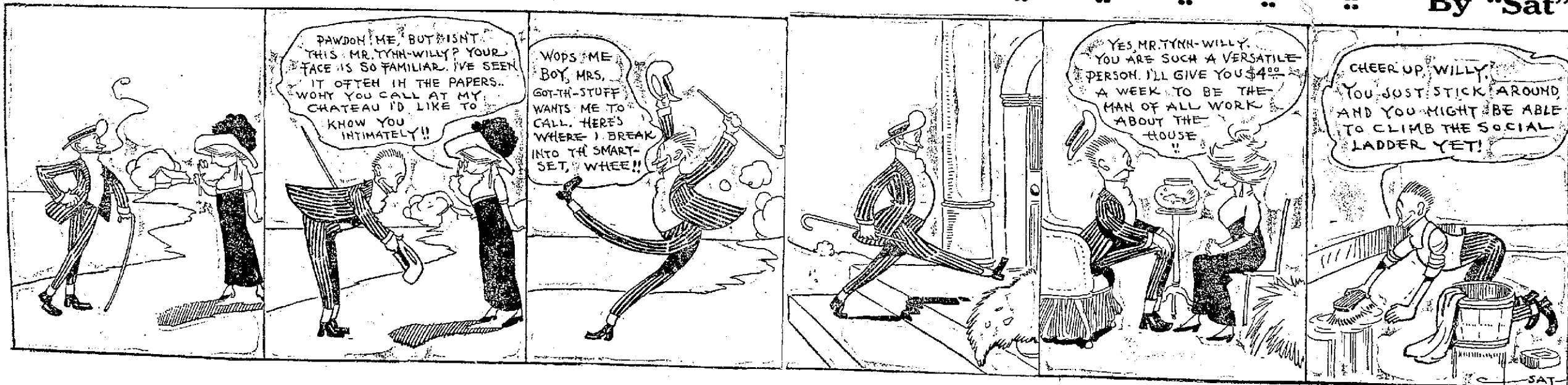


Jim Flynn.

If the battle at Las Vegas on July 4 goes for any length of time Jim Flynn may get short of wind. He has been unable to reduce his weight to the point which his trainer thought necessary to success. He weighs 195. Johnson is fat, too, and neither goes into the fight in the best condition. Flynn denies, however, that his weight will prove a handicap.

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the necessity for the greatest pos-
sible cure in selecting a candidate
for this office.

But for the now humorous spite-
fulness of Platt in maneuvering Tho-
dore Roosevelt into second place
with McKinley the colonel today
might not be a factor in party af-
fairs. It is only one more instance
of the potential possibilities of the
position which so long has been the
butt of jokes.

WILSON vs. TAFT FOR PRESIDENCY

The democrats at Baltimore have
nominated Woodrow Wilson as their
candidate for the presidency.

The result affords a striking con-
trast to the action of the Chicago
convention. If the presumption that
a majority of the voters of all parties
in the United States are progressives
is accurate, the democratic nominee,
with one notable exception, is the
strongest figure in that party; Mr.
Taft, on the contrary, is probably
the weakest of the candidates of his
party, measured by the standard of
progressivism.

Not all republicans agree that Mr.
Taft is a standpatter. Many of them
declare he is a true progressive who
is conservative only to the extent
of "sanity" and who differs from the
more radical in method rather than
in principle.

The public, however, is not inclin-
ed to split hairs when there is wood
to chop. In all probability they will
discard fine discriminations and ques-
tion-begging analyses, and draw a
broad and unmistakable line between
the two men. No matter what his
protestations, the progressives in ev-
ery state will rank Mr. Taft as a
standpatter and accord to Mr. Wil-
son the virtue of progressivism. The
campaign promises to be well defin-
ed, the issue between the parties be-
ing sharply drawn.

Indeed, the conservative Mr. Taft,
running on a conservative platform,
would do himself honor in the eyes
of all parties and factions were he
to disclaim insurgency and boldly as-
sert his status as a standpatter, ap-
pealing to the conservative element
in both parties.

If present sentiment in this local-
ity is a fair basis from which to draw
conclusions, there has not in years
been a presidential election the out-
come of which so many people are
prepared to declare to be not prob-
lematical. However, many factors
at present unsettled will enter into
the fight. The possibility and effect
of Roosevelt becoming a "third
party" candidate and the final attitude
of Senator La Follette are two things
to be considered. The effect of the
tightening of party lines upon pre-
convention sentiment, and the ex-
tent to which bitter factionalism may
be healed are also elements.

Another important influence in
controlling the alignment of voters
is the effect which the voting of re-
publicans for a democratic presiden-
tial nominee is calculated to have
upon state and county tickets.

One hope we entertain for this
campaign. It is that, more than
ever before, the voters may study
the issues and deal with the election
with that intelligence which comes
of understanding.

"TAD" POWELL WRITES FOR THE TRIBUNE

Today we publish an interesting dis-
cussion of today's heavyweight cham-
pionship battle at Glorieta, N. M.,
written by George Powell, famili-
arly known in La Crosse as "Tad." Mr.
Powell, who has achieved success in
larger fields since he left the late la-
mented Morning Chronicle, is at the
ringside handling the event for a
newspaper syndicate and for a few
newspapers. His letter will doubtless
prove interesting to followers of the
fight game.

A foxy boy is that German emper-
or. He suggests that every beauti-
ful woman in the empire be taxed.
If that plan ever becomes a law in
Germany what a rush of women there
would be to pay taxes, as every wo-
man would insist on being taxed.

Thirty thousand harvest hands are
wanted in Kansas, but unhappily
many of the idle men in the big cities
seeking employment cannot accept it
in a state where there is nothing to
drink but buttermilk and water.

But it doesn't look as though even
the most ardent suffragettes would
ever learn to step off the street car
the right way.

Apropos of the nomination of
Woodrow Wilson, a lot of republic-
ans feel as though they had visit-
ed a painless dentist.

Dr. Wiley has declined to be the
health officer of Boston. Probably
they wouldn't let him deodorize the
codfish.

Lillian Russell has a fourth, but
only time will tell whether he is safe
and sane.

Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

The Nature Lover's Complaint
I am a Nature Lover, and my dispo-
sition's kind;
But I wish I knew the working of
the quadrupedal mind.
Now, if I met a tiger, could I make
him understand
That my motives are benignant and
my attitude is bland?

Could I convince a grizzly bear that
I have no intent
Of aught save pleasant courtesy, and
civil is my bent?
Could I make any big gray wolf im-
plicitly believe
That I deem me offish I shall
deeply, truly grieve?
That not a single hostile thought
within my bosom is,
That all my wishes and desires are
right in line with his?

Because, unless I feel that I can
dominate his thought,
And make him view my conduct just
exactly as he ought,
I think I'd rather not go out to meet
a wild beast where
His foot is on his native heath and
nearby is his lair.
Carolyn Wells, in Harper's Magazine

Easy to Squelch
Mrs. Susan Wissler, the new may-
or of Dayton, Wyo., was squelching
an anti-suffrage argument.
"But, indeed," she ended, "these
anti-suffrage arguments are easy to
squelch. They are all on a par. They
have about as much real truth in
them as the argument of the old fel-
low who, to prove man's superior-
ity, said:
"Man's baldness is another proof.
Man goes bald because his brain is
allus workin'." Whereas woman—she
don't never go bald."
"He took out a plug of tobacco,
waved it scornfully in the air, bit off
a large chew, and said:
"Also, gents, by follerin' up the
same line of argument we see that
the reason why women can't raise
whiskers is because her jaw is allus
workin'!"

Prolific Art
Robert Henri, an artist, was talk-
ing at the annual exhibition of the
Philadelphia Academy of Fine Arts
about certain old masters.
"Take, for instance," he said,
"Morland. The illustrious and in-
defatigable Morland painted in the
course of forty years 4,000 pictures.
And of these—
Mr. Henri smiled his quiet and in-
telligent smile.
"Of these," he continued, "no less
than 8,000 are still extant."—Wash-
ington Star.

A Quick Way
A business man was remonstrating
with his partner.
"I hear your son is writing poetry."
"Yes," he began.
"I hear you actually encourage
him to send it to the magazines."
"Yes."
"Do you want your son to become
a poet?"
"No, I merely want him to get the
conceit knocked out of him."—Pitts-
burg Post.

An Idle Threat
"Then," he cried tragically, "then
you reject me? And for my hated
rival?"
"Yes," she answered coldly, but
colloquially. "Yes to both questions."
"Ha! Then I owe the fellow a
grudge. I have long owed him \$10.
And now I will pay both debts at
once and he will fall dead!"
Lighting his cigarette at the hall
gas jet, he departed with a mocking
laugh. But the beautiful girl was not
alarmed. She knew he could never
carry out his devilish scheme. For
she knew that he never had \$10 in
his whole life.—Cleveland Plain
Dealer.

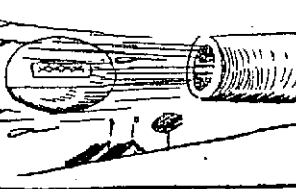
None Such Nowadays
There are a couple of old ante-
bellum negroes of the type that has
practically disappeared now serving
in one of the government depart-
ments at Washington, and these two
old fellows, like nothing better than
to "get together" now and then and
talk over "times befo' de war."
On one such occasion Uncle Job
observed that "de ole marster I had
befo' de war was a gen'l'man sho'
'nough."

"Yo' bet dey was high toned gen-
'men in dem days," was his friend's
comment.

"Now you's talkin'," continued Uncle
Job. "How well I remember
time an' time ag'in my old marster
kicked me off de front steps an' a
minute arterward he had done plumb
fergit all about it. Dey ain't no mo'
sich gen'l'men nowadays."—Har-
per's.

**DIPPY
DOPE**

IF A THIRTEEN INCH
GUN SHOTS A
CANNON BALL, WOULD
A 12 INCH GUN SHOOT
A FOOTBALL?



GEORGIA SENATOR VERY, VERY HAPPY



Senator Hoke Smith.

Hoke Smith, the genial senator
from Georgia, is very happy these
days at the prospect of Democratic
success. At Baltimore, where the ac-
companying picture was taken and
where Smith was a prominent figure
during the convention, his bright
smile proved catching. Perhaps all
these Democrats would have smiled,
anyway, since the Republican pow-
wow at Chicago was an event of
recent memory.

Museum of Daily Facts and Freaks

Sang Self in Jail.
NEW YORK—Because vaudeville
managers would not give her a try
out, Miss Gerdie Van Dyke of Butte
mounted her calico pony and sang
to the crowd on Broadway. She got
a police station engagement.

25 Pound Blackjack.
NEW YORK—Michael J. Connors
holds the palm for black jacks. The
police took one weighing fifteen
pounds from him and said it was the
biggest ever seen in New York.

Boy Beats T. R.
OYSTER BAY, N. Y.—An archer
threw a stone at the Roosevelt au-
tomobile and struck Mrs. Roosevelt
on the cheek. The colonel chased
him, but the boy escaped fame by
out-running T. R.

Jerry's Triplets Lucky.
NEW YORK—Jerry Moynihan's
wife presented him with triplets,
and Jerry the same day got a job af-
ter three months of idleness. He
says they are mascots.

Rockefeller Slows Autos.
TARRYTOWN, N. Y.—William
Rockefeller's superintendent reported
that automobilists were running
through the estate, were damaging
the roadway, and he ordered that
piles of loose earth be scattered on
the drive.

Millionaires Debtors.
NEW YORK—The names of
Thomas F. Ryan, John D. Rocke-
feller, Miss Helen Gould, Henry
Crawley, Jr., and a dozen other mil-
lionaires appeared on the schedule
of debtors filed by a bankrupt cat-
tering company.

HOLD AWHITTE CONTESTS
PARIS, July 4.—A second con-
course of "aviettes" or air-propel-
led aeroplanes, will be held here Oc-
tober. There are several prizes of-
fered. The first prize being \$2,000.
Most of the "aviettes" so far seen
in France are wings attached to bi-
cycles, with or without propellers.

The MAN in the BROWN DERBY

by
WELLS HASTINGS
Author of
The Professor's Mystery
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The clerk looked at me sharply.
"I suppose he was," he said. "Un-
less you owe some one money," and
he chuckled as if the observation
had been the quintessence of sly
humor.

"What did he look like?" I
asked.
"Well, I don't know as you'd say
he looked like anything particular.
He was just a tall man, with good
clothes, and a nose perhaps a little
longer than the law allows. The only
thing I really did notice about him
was his cap. I did like his cap. It
was just like one I have had my eye
on for the last two weeks. I am go-
ing to step around and get it this
afternoon."

The taste of the Bucks County
clerk in caps did not seem to me a
very enthralling subject. "Oh, you
must have been mistaken," I said;
"there is nobody about here that I
know. It must have been some other
Ellsworth that he was looking for."

"Well," drawled the clerk, "he
asked for Mason Ellsworth as plain
as paint. Wanted to know if I had
heard either of you or of a young
lady named Nancy Bond. Said he
was the agent for some phonograph
or other, and his firm had asked
him to look you up." He eyed me
for a moment shrewdly. "I did not
take much stock in the agent busi-
ness, though," he said; "somehow
you can tell an agent when you see
one."

"Mason Ellsworth, Nancy Bond?"
Who in the world could be looking
for us? Who in the world in this
out-of-the-way place? No one but
Nancy's uncle could, it seemed to
me, know where we were; and yet
this was evidently not Ephraim
Bond. I had come very bravely up-
on my errand, and my fear was
vaguely afraid, but my fear was
the greater simply because it was
vague. Of a sudden, I remembered
the man in the brown derby hat,
and felt that I was five long miles
and over away from Nancy. "Thank
you," I said to the clerk and
walked out of the office as quietly
as I could. It was agony to keep
my measured step through the al-
most empty streets of the quiet, in-
quiescent little town. Once out of it,
I started running and ran until I
could run no more. So I went along
those five miles that had seemed so
short, running when I could, walk-
ing when I could run no more; fear
growing in my heart with every tor-
tured, panting stride. No vehicle of
any kind passed me, and I hated the
physical disability and lack of
training that kept me from running
every step of the way. But at last
I came in sight of home.

There it lay across the rolling
fields, peaceful and secure. Smoke
was curling lazily from the great
central chimney and the gray ex-
panse of shingled roof was blotched
irregularly with color, where pig-
eons sunned themselves in the glow
of the late afternoon. How foolish
I had been! Here, if anywhere in
the world, was security itself. I had
tasted of melodrama, to be sure, but
thank God, I had left it behind me
in the city where anything may

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happen; here was only peace and
quiet and the poignant happiness
of ultimate tranquility. I laughed
at the thoughts that had stirred me
and made up my mind that they
should not trouble Nancy too. I was
hot and tired and dusty, and I stop-
ped in the road to make some dis-
guising repairs to my dishevelment.
I was dusting my shoes with my
handkerchief, when there came a
rattle of wheels and a shout, and I
had only time to leap to the road-
side, when a horse and buggy
rounded the abrupt turn of the road
and dashed past me at a runaway
gallop in the direction I had just
come. I turned to look after it; the
buggy top was up and lurching
drunkenly to the mad galloping of
the horse. If I had not heard the
shout I should have thought the
runaway was driverless, and then to
my amazement I could see far off
the thin flicker of a lashing whip,
as the buggy disappeared in a cloud
of dust.

After all, I was tired and ner-
vous; even this sudden chance awake
my fears again. I vaulted the
whitewashed rail fence and started
running across the fields, blundering
through bits of bog, tearing impu-
tently through briars, and once or
twice almost falling on the decep-
tive, uneven ground.

I made the veranda steps in a
rush; the front door was open and
I paused a second, gasping in the
hall. "Nancy!" I called. "Nancy!"
and stood sickly afraid. Though my
voice echoed hollowly through the
house and I knew, even as I called,
that I was all alone there, that Nan-
cy was gone, nevertheless, I ran up
to her room, only to find it empty,
and then started searching the rest
of the house with an abandonment
of terror which has since made me
heartily ashamed. Empty room af-
ter empty room mocked and men-
aced me. A bit of embroidery lay
on the dining-room table, and I
snatched it up, as if, somehow, it
might help me find her. I threw
open the back door and called, and
ran out of the house and through
the orchard, calling, "Nancy, Nan-
cy," to the empty world. Then, as
when once or twice in my life I
have had to fight, I grew of a sud-
den quiet, collected and cold, and
went back to make a more method-
ical search of the house. It was
barely possible, I reflected, that she
had made an excursion to one of
the neighbor's places, taking her
helper with her as a guide. Then,
before making the rounds of the
neighborhood, I determined to look
our own house over thoroughly; for,
unless indeed she had gone some-
where with Nancy, I could not ac-
count for the disappearance of the
woman I had employed.

I was not to seek her long, how-
ever, for as I re-entered the kitchen

I heard a sound which I must have
heard before, save for the extremity
of my panic, the drumming of flats
on the inside of a closet door. The
door had been locked and boited
from the outside, and my heart sank
within me as I undid the lock, for I
knew now that Nancy was surely
gone. The woman, whom I had
thought so secure a guardian, burst
out upon me wrathfully.

"What did you mean by that?"
she asked, her voice rising almost to
a shriek. "Is that the way to treat
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ILLITERACY IS SMALL IN U. S.
Excluding Foreign Born Population, Average Is 3 Per Cent of Americans Uneducated

Considered without qualifying circumstances, the latest official reports indicate that only three persons out of ten thousand in Germany are unable to read or write, while the proportion of illiteracy in Great Britain is 150 per 10,000 as against 770 per 10,000 in the United States. These figures are based on a comparison of illiteracy among some of the leading nations which has just been made and issued for free distribution by the United States bureau of education. The bureau has used the preliminary figures of the 1910 census for this country, and the latest official reports available for the others.

Although America seems to make a bad third in the comparison, the bureau of education's publication calls attention to circumstances which tend to put a much better face upon the matter. Thus, the American figures include the entire population more than ten years ago, while the German figures cover only the army recruits, and the British statistics deal only with adults, and generally speaking, with physically and mentally normal adults, while the United States census includes without discrimination everyone above the ten year age limit.

Again, it is pointed out, the showing of the United States is brought down by reason of the fact that the country has a large population of foreign born whites as well as of colored persons, among whom the percentage of illiteracy is 12.8 per cent and 30.5 per cent, respectively. The illiteracy among the native whites of this country is only 3 per cent.

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PLAN TO KEEP SCHOOL RECORD
Every Child in City Institutions to Be Card Catalogued, Is New Scheme

HELP FOR STATISTICIANS
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Every child in the elementary city schools of the United States is to be card catalogued, and a running history of his entire school career in the grades kept permanently on file, according to plans formulated by investigators whose report has just been issued for free distribution by the United States Bureau of Education. Although this plan has just been inaugurated, it has the approval of the National Education association, while some 300 cities have already begun to keep the cards. Eventually, it is anticipated, about 6,000,000 pupils will be thus tabulated.

Answer Questions
With the new card catalogue system in full operation throughout the country, definite and scientific answer can be made to a large number of questions the solution to which must now be guessed in large measure. How many times has a given child been detained in a grade? How many backward, overage, or retarded children are there in a given city's schools? How does this showing compare with other cities? Does absence from school effect progress? These and other like questions can be answered readily and accurately when the new cumulative card index, in which every young American has his place can be drawn upon for the information.

The form of card contains the following entries, among others: Age of child; date of admission to school; grade; days present; health; conduct; scholarship; place of birth; vaccinated; name and occupation of parent or guardian.

As the child moves from grade to grade, or from building to building, the card containing his past record will follow him, as will also be the case even if he should move from one city to another. In this way his entire past and present in school will be checked off against each other, point by point and year by year.

Cost System
In addition to introducing the cumulative index card as a means of keeping the school history of every American child, the committee of investigators has also drawn up a uniform method of reporting fiscal statistics, so that costs may be computed upon the same universal basis.

The new scheme of school statistics was drawn up by a committee appointed by the department of superintendence of the national educational association, working in co-operation with the United States Bureau of Education. The result of their labors is issued as a government document under the title "Report of the Committee on Uniform Records and Reports," and will be sent free upon request to the United States Commissioner of Education, Department of the Interior, Washington, D. C.

the nation and a bid that will be accepted beyond doubt.

"For which, thanks are due the son of Nebraska, who as democracy's Daniel, bearded the lion of predatory wealth in its den and mastered and conquered the beast."

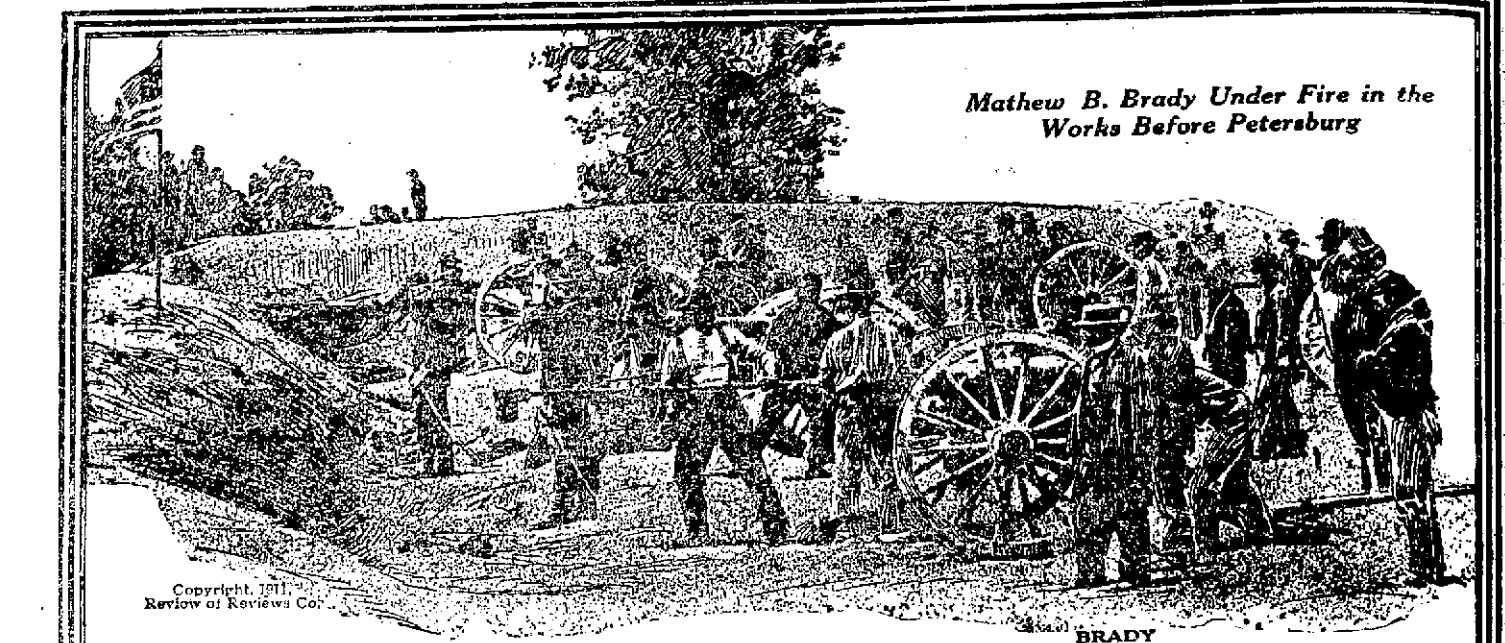
Detroit News: "Woodrow Wilson's nomination as democratic candidate for president of the United States might be charged, in baseball parlance, as a forced run. The most powerful of the organized elements which figure in politics fought against him. These elements came to the convention thoroughly equipped for the elimination of Wilson as a presidential possibility if they lacked the power to nominate their own candidate.

"They hoped to rule the convention by force of numbers, but they were fooled by one man who accomplished a victory for the progressive element. Mr. Bryan's weapons were his personal influence over thousands of democrats who believe in his sincerity and his superiority as a fighting man on his feet before a vast assembly. It was the most distinguished victory of his career.

"Wilson's nomination was a splendid exhibition of a party's realization of the real power that stands behind the government and a humiliating surrender on the part of the reactionaries."

The St. Paul Dispatch (Rep.): "The same forces were at work and the same fight was made at Baltimore as at Chicago and the only difference was in the result. In both conventions there was the struggle for emancipation from the bosses and the interests.

"The progressive republicans and the independents, who will control the next election, must decide to whom they will turn; must decide whether Roosevelt shall lead them along a path clear and plain to the end or whether they find in Wilson one sufficiently progressive and without handicap from the organization which nominated him to bring about the reforms the majority of the American people desire to see instituted, during the next administration."



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TITANIC INQUIRY ENDS

LONDON, July 4.—The board of trade inquiry into the Titanic disaster concluded on Wednesday and Lord Merz, the presiding judge, announced that its report would be produced within a "reasonable time."

Sir Rufus Isaacs, the attorney general, in his closing speech, said there was no excuse for the inaction of Capt. Lord of the California. Lord Merz suggested that Capt. Lord was possibly guilty of a misdemeanor. Sir Rufus asserted that utterly unnecessary risks had been taken by the Titanic and that the causes of the disaster were a bad lookout and excessive speed. During the thirty-six sessions of the court of inquiry, ninety-eight witnesses were examined and 25,631 questions put to them.

Naturally a female attendant in a lunatic asylum thinks everybody is crazy about her.

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Old Customs in Synagogues.

When the annual reading of the Book of Esther takes place in the synagogues as a prelude to the festival of Purim the children shake their rattles (Haman "klopfers") vigorously every time the name of Haman, who was counsellor of King Ahasuerus, monarch of ancient Persia, appears in the book. This quaint custom has been observed from time immemorial.

—London Evening Standard.

Idleness Locked On as Crime.

In industrial Switzerland there is no place for the idle. It is considered the duty of the authorities to assist, in every way possible, persons honestly seeking employment, and it is also held to be their duty to punish the work-shirker and to force him to earn his bread before he may eat it. No toleration is shown to the loafer, begging is prohibited by law, and vagrancy is classified as a crime in the legal code of the Confederation.

Always Matter of Growth.

The leader, like the poet, must be born, and then born again, for the spirit must quicken the spirit, and life inspire life, before knowledge can grow to wisdom.—Alice Freeman Palmer.

Trick Didn't Work Out.

A Castleford, Yorkshire, England, claimant to an old-age pension produced a prayer book the other day, with his name entered on it as having been born in 1839. The ink used, however, was composed of a dye not invented till 1867, and instead of a pension the claimant got 14 days for a tempted fraud.

Many a girl strives to make a name for herself rather than attempt to make a loaf of bread.

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The attention of visitors and delegates at Baltimore during convention week was frequently attracted by a dapper young man wearing a brown face and a white suit. He was Manuel Quezon, and he explained to those who were curious enough to ask, that he was a delegate to the convention from the Philippine Islands. Quezon is a pretty good American, and now that he has seen what a mighty country we have here he is more pleased than ever to think that the stars and stripes still float over his native land.

Take Life Joyously.
Take life too seriously, and what is it worth? If the morning wake us to no new joys, if the evening bring us to the hope of new pleasures, is it worth while to dress and undress? Does the sun shine on me today that I may reflect on yesterday? That I may endeavor to foresee and control what can neither be foreseen nor controlled—the destiny of tomorrow.—Goethe.

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Wisconsin is essentially a livestock state. By the annual production of \$80,000,000 worth of milk, butter and cheese, yielded by its 1,504,000 cows it leads the Union in dairying. Within its borders, too, are 650,000 or more horses, 1,100,000 cattle other than milk cows, 2,051,000 swine and 847,000 sheep. Wisconsin leads the nation in the breeding of Guernsey cattle, and it is second only to New York in the number of breeders of Holsteins. Already there are thousands of profit-producing animals kept upon farms of Wisconsin; but there is feed, or potential feed, for thousands more.

Nowhere is there a soil or climate better suited to the production of grasses and hays; nowhere is there better and purer water. Corn, with the exception of in a few isolated areas, can be grown to the very shores of Lake Superior. In no state has the silo been more popular nor widely used than in Wisconsin. Where corn will not ripen, roots furnish an excellent succulence for milk cows and other stock. Wisconsin is also rapidly becoming an alfalfa state; the farmers are beginning to understand its culture and are putting in thousands of acres upon which once grew luxuriant but ruinous crops of timothy. Where alfalfa has not succeeded, clover is, or will eventually be, doing duty. The small grains of Wisconsin, even now famed the world over, supplement the corn and alfalfa, leaving nothing lacking for successful live-stock raising.

Great and important, however, as the livestock industry of Wisconsin now is, it is destined to become still greater. So many are the reasons why they should raise more and better animals that the farmers of Wisconsin are determined that this shall continue to be the leading stock producing state of the Union.

The raising of livestock is, of course, the type of farming for which Wisconsin is pre-eminently adapted. The state is situated east of the great grain belt of the United States. The mills from Minneapolis pour hundreds of tons of bran and other grain products across our borders. At our very door lie Duluth, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Milwaukee and Chicago, furnishing markets large enough to assimilate anything we can possibly raise in the line of meats and dairy products.

FALSE IDEAS OF PERFECTION

Absurd Development of Muscle Has Little Part in Production of Perfect Athlete.

A recent portrait of a lumpy athlete, who invites others, and not without success, to try his system of physical development, shows that the false idea of physical perfection which obtained for so many years, and which demanded huge and knobby muscles of its disciples, has not yet quite died out. This type of manly perfection, once useful perhaps to hang armor upon, was thought to possess the sanction of the golden age of artistry when the burly Farnese Hercules came to light, to be hailed as a supreme product of the Greeks.

We know it now for an example of decadent Greek taste, fit companion of the absurd and sensational Laocoon. It is naught but a type of the strong man of vaudeville with his clumsy masses of beef and his brain of a spoiled child, fit only to push his awkward dumb bells into the air, an enviable sum of achievement truly after a lifetime of work by a civilized human being. No less than strength, are speed and grace demanded of the ideal athlete, likewise a face of refinement and intelligence to tell of a brain within to comprehend art, music and literature, and the ability to plan victories either of peace or war. Look upon the Apollo Belvidere, which embodies the true dreams of health and mental and physical efficiency, with its face of exquisite beauty above a form whose lines are tranquil poetry, yet shadow forth their readiness to start into sinewy vigor when the call for action comes. Even the Indian, the perfect savage, never resembled the Farnese monstrosity, the emulators of which find their place in modern life so much better filled by the derrick.—New York Medical Record.

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Plant Secret.
An old and experienced florist taught me many valuable and useful things in regard to plants. One of his tricks was that whenever he transplanted any flower or plant he always sifted steel filings into the new soil before he put in the plant. He explained to me that the steel filings rusted when the soil was watered and that the rust made the plants grow rapidly. In the long time that I was associated with him I never knew his method of treatment to fail.

There's nothing green about the grass widow who goes after a rich bachelor.

THIS CHICAGO JUDGE SHOULD WEAR TIGHTS

Chicago people will not be at all surprised to see Municipal Judge Rooney going about the streets of their city wearing tight-fitting garments. Recently a tailor came into Judge Rooney's court, asking \$45 damages because one Evans had refused to pay for a suit which the tailor had made for him. Evans refused to pay had been based on the fact that the clothes were too tight fitting.



"I have to use a shoe horn to get into the clothes," Evans told the court, "and it takes a corker to get me out. Besides, they make me look like a telegraph pole."

"Come with me," said Judge Rooney, and took the defendant into his chambers together with the suit of clothes in question. When the two emerged Evans was arrayed in his new garments.

"I have satisfied myself that you can get into them single handed," said the judge, "and I think they present a very good appearance on you. Judgement for \$15."

PERSONALS

Auto repairs. Hirt Machine Co. Miss Emma Bako, Milwaukee is spending the Fourth with her parents in this city.

Dr. Weston, specialist, 4th & Main. Mrs. P. Finley and daughter, St. Paul are visiting Mrs. Joseph Bouché, 1227 Green Bay street.

For rent, 8 room house, with bath, 410 Cameron Ave. 116. Phone 706-A. Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Gough of Sparta visited friends in La Crosse yesterday.

Dr. Geo. Powell, consulting physician and surgeon. O. B. Blexrud came to the city from Caledonia, Minn., yesterday to remain here for several days.

C. H. Herman from Canton, Minn., is visiting in La Crosse today. P. B. Qualy of Caledonia, Minn., is a business caller in the city today.

Porch shades, 6 ft. \$1.75, 8 ft. \$2.50. Boyer-Furber Furniture Co. Mr. and Mrs. K. O. Johnson, Stoddard, Wis., are calling on friends in La Crosse today.

K. D. Nelson, who was visiting in the city Tuesday, returned to Viroqua yesterday. Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women H. C. West from Onalaska visited friends in La Crosse yesterday.

Dance at Linker hall tonight. Joseph K. Kidder of the Evening Wisconsin reporter staff, arrived here from Milwaukee this morning to spend a few days with his parents.

A. A. Walton this city is spending a few days visiting friends and relatives in Milwaukee. Hack and baggage calls made. Gateway City Trfr. Line, phone 179 E. P. Gleason, this city, is spending a few days transacting business in Milwaukee.

Miss Alice Parker, La Crosse, is the guest of Milwaukee relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Will Scholler and daughter Ruth of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Tefft and son William of Davenport, Iowa, and Mrs. Low Palmer of Mitchell, S. D., came to spend a few weeks with their mother, Mrs. Frank Schaller, 1311 South Fourth street.

American Cocoa the Best. Now that cocoa has become such a popular and necessary drink, the American factories are making the best in the world. They buy only the highest class of cocoa beans and use the most improved machinery. Most imported cocoas are not ground sufficiently fine, being more or less ground like pepper, while the good American cocoa is as fine and smooth as the best wheat flour, and thus held in solution more readily in milk or water.

First to Use Chloroform. Chloroform as an anesthetic was first used on the 30th of September, 1846, by Dr. W. T. G. Morton, a dentist, of Boston. In a case of tooth extraction, and thereafter by him in many difficult operations. The news of the discovery reached England in December, 1846, and British dentists immediately began to use it. Sir James Simpson, a Scotch physician (1811-1870) was the first to use it in hospital practice and this he did in 1847. His discovery was considered independent of that by the Boston dentist and in 1866 he was knighted. He had a public funeral when he died and a statue of him in bronze stands in Edinburgh.

Impressive "I." "A public man should endeavor to impress his meaning in as simple and direct a fashion as possible. He should make a practice of using words of one syllable." "I go further than that," replied the energetic statesman, "I depend almost entirely on the brief and beautiful word of one letter."

If It's Only a Small Thing. It is an excellent thing for everybody to learn to do something well.

NURSES' SCHOOLS NEED IMPROVING

Government Pamphlet Declares Students Are Taken with Too Little Education

COMMERCIALLY EXPLOITED

Ignorant Girls Placed on Special Duty by Private Hospitals for High Fee

Conditions making for inefficiency in schools for the professional training of nurses are dealt with in a bulletin entitled "The Educational Status of Nursing," which is shortly to be issued for free distribution by the United States Bureau of Education. According to the bulletin, there are schools which admit candidates at as early an age as 17, asking no educational qualifications except common-school education, and sometimes not even that. Other training schools require as much as 12 hours a day of nursing from their students in addition to attendance at classes and lectures.

Pupils Exploited. Not infrequently, also, the students are subjected to certain forms of commercial exploitation. These conditions exist, notwithstanding a number of advances made in recent years in the professional training of nurses. The bulletin is written by Miss M. Adelaide Nutting, director of the department of nursing and health, teachers college, Columbia university, New York, and formerly superintendent of nurses and principal of the training school of Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore.

The first count in Miss Nutting's indictment of nurses' training schools reads in the government publication as follows:

"The condition in training schools which is causing grave concern among those who have long been struggling to improve the education of nurses is the persistence of low standards for admission. The enormous multiplication of hospitals and sanatoria throughout the country, with the consequent unrestricted development of training schools as a part of their working organization, has led to a very large demand for students essentially for utilitarian purposes. No adequate supply could be secured through the usual source with the maintenance of suitable standards, and such standards have therefore been lowered or sacrificed to meet the current needs of institutions.

"The large, best equipped, and well-known schools naturally attract the most desirable candidates, yet not one of them is exempt from the necessity of admitting and keeping in the school pupils of pitifully low educational attainments and mental ability in order that there may be no disturbance or breakdown of the system which requires the hospital to be 'manned' at all points throughout its departments with student nurses."

Nurses Too Young

Most student nurses are lacking in two main respects—they are neither old enough, nor well-educated enough, to enter upon the course of training for this profession. Regarding age conditions, Miss Nutting says:

"Until the last few years the general age requirement for admission to training schools was 23 years, and it was only in exceptional instances that students were admitted under that age. But of recent years, in the effort to secure enough students to staff the hospital, this age requirement has been steadily lowered until now in the majority of schools (35.2 per cent) students are admitted at 20 years or under, and in 13.15 per cent of all schools they are admitted at 18 years of age. A further descent may be perhaps foreshadowed in the record of the two schools admitting that they receive students of 17 years of age.

"While there is little reason to suppose that the age standard could in the present day, be kept at 23 or even 22, yet it is a grave question whether the admission of young, immature girls of 18 and 19 to hospital wards, and to the heavy physical demands and the overwhelming responsibilities and anxieties of such work as inevitably awaits them there by day or by night, should be considered. No school dare assume that it will be able to provide influences and safeguards strong enough and far-reaching enough to protect either patient or pupil under these conditions."

As for the educational requirements of candidates, Miss Nutting presents these figures: "From the reports of 692 training schools made in 1911 to the bureau of education, it appears that about 35 per cent of the total number state a requirement of 'high school or its equivalent'; about 33 per cent call for one year of high school work (or an equivalent); 28 per cent call

Save the Babies.

INFANT MORTALITY is something frightful. We can hardly realize that of all the children born in civilized countries, twenty-two per cent, or nearly one-quarter, die before they reach one year; thirty-seven per cent, or more than one-third, before they are five, and one-half before they are fifteen!

We do not hesitate to say that a timely use of Castoria would save a majority of these precious lives. Neither do we hesitate to say that many of these infantile deaths are occasioned by the use of narcotic preparations. Drops, tinctures and soothing syrups sold for children's complaints contain more or less opium or morphine. They are, in considerable quantities, deadly poisons. In any quantity, they stupefy, retard circulation and lead to congestions, sickness, death. Castoria operates exactly the reverse, but you must see that it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. Castoria causes the blood to circulate properly, opens the pores of the skin and allays fever.

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WOMEN RIVALS FOR POLITICAL HONORS EXCHANGE KISSES IN MIDST OF BATTLE



SAN FRANCISCO, Cal.—With a fond embrace, kisses on either cheek and mutual protestations of affection and esteem, the political campaign of the biennial convention of the General Federation of Women's clubs at San Francisco opened when the rival candidates for the general presidency, Mrs. Percy V. Pennybaker of Texas, and Mrs. Philip N. Carpenter of New York, met.

From the opening of the convention the fight for the high honor of securing the national office as continued unabated between the two women. Both have been "on the job" all the time, greeting old friends, welcoming new ones, giving interviews and marshalling their forces. It is a finish fight, but it is a clean one and never once has the old friendship between the two women been in danger.

For nothing beyond the common school; the remaining 14 per cent either makes no educational requirements whatever, and say so in unmistakable terms, and say so in preference."

Hours Are Long. When the girl finally enters upon her training course, she usually finds, according to the bureau of education bulletin, that it consists of prolonged, and sometimes excessive, hours of nursing, while instruction in the theory of the subject is minimized. In addition, Miss Nutting charges, the students are often "exploited."

"Not only is all the general nursing in hospitals done through the services of the students," says Miss Nutting, "but in certain instances the students themselves become an actual source of direct and considerable profit to the institution. This happens when the student enters a private hospital for two or three years and is placed at a very early stage of her work upon special duty with a single patient, a considerable fee being charged for her services. In some instances it is said that pupils are kept at such special individual work during the greater portion of the course of their so-called training, the fees for their services going directly to the management."

"But this does not exhaust the methods by which hospitals can utilize for their own profits the services of their students."

"Out of the entire 692 hospitals from which statistics were recently received, 248 were found sending out their pupils into families in the community for private nursing, for periods ranging from 2 to 26 weeks, the payment for this service in almost all instances going directly to the hospital."

"It can be readily seen how the effort to guard the education of nurses by suitable legislation would interfere with such exploiting of the pupil nurse, and it is a well-known fact that the most persistent opponents of such legislation in the various states have been found among those representing such hospitals—those whose financial interests were involved in maintaining the status quo."

Suggests Remedies. Among the remedial measures suggested by Miss Nutting, in order to raise the standard of professional training for nurses, she advocates that the hospitals adopt the policy of paying for a considerable part of their nursing, as well as of domestic services which the students are now performing, and she also maintains that "the first step toward developing proper schools of nursing lies in separating them from the hospitals and its control and placing them upon an independent basis." She adds: "While hospital and training school are fundamentally interdependent, there is no more reason why the hospital should own and control the training school than the medical school. The basis of relationship should be one of close and efficient co-operation."

A Grasp of the Hand. There are times when a grasp of the hand is almost a sacred thing. In sorrow it may impart comfort or convey sympathy more effectively than words. Again, it may be a warrant of the reliability of friendship or a pledge of honor; also an expression of approval or of admiration. Did you ever hear of a man's growing lean by the reading of "Romeo and Juliet" or blowing his brains out because Desdemona was maligned?—Oliver Wendell Holmes.

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SCHOOLS GO INTO ACTIVE FARMING

North Carolina Starts the Move to Pay Expenses of Education by Agriculture

PUPILS AND PARENTS WORK
Cultivation of School Farms Done by Community in Old-fashioned "Working-bees"

Needing more money for their schools than was being raised by taxation, the inhabitants of Wake county, North Carolina, adopted the unique expedient of cultivating the land surrounding the schools, the money obtained from the sale of the crops being used for the benefit of the school. Seventeen school farms were operated last year. They were worked by 1,200 persons, men, women and children, who contributed their labor free. The net gain from the enterprise was nearly \$1,200.

This new movement to raise additional funds for the country school is described by A. C. Monahan, assistant in rural education in the United States Bureau of Education. In a monograph just issued for free distribution by the bureau, Mr. Monahan writes:

"The plan has been called the 'school-farm movement' and comprehends the establishment of small farms of from 2 to 10 acres in connection with every country school. This farm is to be cultivated by the children and their parents, working together on certain days termed 'school-farm working bees.'"

"The 'working bees' are gatherings for social purposes, as well as for the cultivation of the school land. Each school farm is usually given to one crop. A regular system of rotation is planned. The agricultural work is done under the supervision of the best farmer in the community, so that good methods are used. Every person, therefore, taking part is given the opportunity to observe the most successful systems of raising the crops under cultivation."

"The income received from the sale of the products raised on the school farm is used for general school purposes. It is hoped by this movement to accomplish three things: First, to make money to be used in supplementing the school fund; second, to offer an opportunity to make the teaching of agriculture in the rural school entirely practical and to illustrate how pleasant farm work can be made under proper conditions; and, third, to offer rural communities opportunities for gatherings to develop the social side of farm life, with the school house the social center of the community and the principal occupation of the people—farming—the center of interest."

"The first work was done at Hol-

ly Springs where, two years ago, two acres of land were planted in cotton. The lighter work was done by the women and children of the community, while the men did the heavy work. A community dinner was a part of the program for each gathering.

Raise Many Crops

"Two bales of cotton were raised, netting the school \$119. The next year the plan was tried at eleven schools, the crops raised including cotton, corn, tobacco, and wheat. On the eleven farms 1,200 persons participated in the work. The net profit was nearly \$1,200. Last year six additional farms were established, making a total of seventeen farms."

"The children of the county want these school farms, and the older people are in sympathy with the idea. The results have been an increased interest in the schools and the school work, an improvement in the appearance of the buildings and grounds, and the lengthening of the school year; also the development of a better community spirit and an improvement in general farming in the county."

The school-farm movement was developed under the leadership of Z. V. Judd, the county superintendent of public instruction.

CARRIED A SLIVER OF GLASS YEARS

WASHINGTON, July 4.—Rather a remarkable experience was that of George E. Diggs, head waiter in a fashionable apartment, who, for almost a lifetime, unknowingly carried in his anatomy a piece of glass one-eighth of an inch wide and five-eighths of an inch long. Although the glass had been hidden in the flesh of his jaw for a quarter of a century, Diggs did not begin to feel the effects of it until recently. He went to a physician who prescribed a liniment, which had the effect of drawing the glass to the surface of the skin. Feeling a hard substance in his jaw Diggs pulled it out and found it was a fragment of glass. He explains that when but four years old he pulled a window down on himself and that pieces of glass stuck in his jaw, but at the time it was thought that all of them had been removed.

THREE ARE KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

DULUTH, Minn., July 4.—Life was instantly crushed from the bodies of Mrs. William White, Duluth; Miss Gladys Richardson, Bridgeport, Conn.; Langford Maddigan, Duluth, the latter a chauffeur, at about midnight on a country pike near Duluth, when a touring car in which they were returning home, skidded from the road and overturned, pinning its occupants beneath.

WIRELESS A LIFESAVER.

LONDON, July 4.—Wireless telegraphy is destined to become the most effective of all life-saving equipment of ocean-going vessels, under the international agreement reached by the wireless conference which is to be signed Friday by representatives of the United States and marine powers of Europe. The next conference will be held in Washington in June 1917.

Taft Begins Vacation.

WASHINGTON, July 4.—President Taft's annual vacation began yesterday when he left for a week-end stay at his summer home at Beverly, Mass. He will, however, return to his desk here next Monday for congressional business. He does not plan to make a long stay at Beverly until after congress adjourns.

Day of the Whip.

The dreaded "cat" is probably the best known of old naval punishments. Whipping was provided for at least as long ago as the fifteenth century, and in Drake's time the regular trouncing of the ship's boys by the boatswain on Monday morning was regarded as the only means of insuring a fair wind for the rest of the week.

Some men get rich on farms and others fail. The reason? Some farm systematically and some do not.

A Declaration of Independence

was all right for ambitious colonies, but does not do for an ambitious jeweler. I frankly make a declaration of independence upon you for your favors. But I hope, by assiduous attention to your wishes, by furnishing you the best and prettiest and latest goods at the lowest prices, and by the expert workmanship which will be put upon your repairing, to induce you, in turn, to depend upon me for your needs in my line, so that Dependence day, for both of us, will last the year 'round.

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MAJESTIC BUILDING

Old Country GREEN SOAP

WORK ON RIVER IS STOPPED TODAY

Captain W. A. Thompson of the government engineering department received word from Washington today, to hold up all river improvement pending the passage of the river and harbor appropriation bill, which is now before the conference committee of the house and senate. The money which is left from the last appropriation is practically exhausted and no further work can be carried on until more funds are provided. The bill passed the house but was amended by the senate and referred to the conference committee for action. After they act on the bill it must receive the approval of both the house and senate before it goes into effect. Mr. Thompson today declared that there is no doubt that the bill will eventually be passed. He says the work will be held up from one to four weeks by the amendment of the senate. The work of dredging Mississippi slough near the Isle la Plume will have to be deferred until after the passage of the bill.

TINTAH IS NOW PILE OF ASHES

WHEATON, Minn., July 4.—The village of Tintah, in the northern part of Traverse county, was destroyed by fire late yesterday. As far as can be learned, every business building except the blacksmith shop is wiped out.

CROWDS JOIN IN CELEBRATIONS

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baseball game will be played and other forms of amusements and sports will be held. The program will contain several numbers on the list of races and games to which women will be eligible. Tent attractions have also been arranged for and sporting bulletins will be posted throughout the afternoon.

Insane as Ever

After saving pennies for ages and ages, as the small boy looks at it, but in reality for weeks, pent up anticipation breaks loose with unbounded restraint which characterizes the American independence day and this year is no exception. Despite the glaring frowns of elders and the rigid attempt at enforcement of the law by the blue coated brigades of patrolmen, the celebration of the Fourth continues to be as insane as ever and the resounding rolls of thunder of the thousands of firecrackers, is just as conspicuous as twenty years ago.

Captain Dugan has enlarged his force for the occasion and hopes to cope with the situation, or rather to come as near enforcing order as is possible when thousands of youngsters break loose, intent on making everybody realize that they are in existence. Doctors and firemen have been prepared for weeks, one with an extra supply of bandages and antiseptic serum while the others have been refilling chemical tanks and are momentarily awaiting the call of fire.

JOHNSON WILL NOT HAVE WALKAWAY

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And it's this quickness and cleverness that Johnson counts on to do the business with a man like Flynn who doesn't pretend to any nifty foot or hand work. But Flynn said yesterday in my hearing that he was not going to stand off and let Johnson box him to defeat. He's going to fight Bat Nelson style, boring in and pounding Johnson's weak point, the body. Flynn knows he couldn't face the smoke with a ball bat by pounding his head and he's going after more vulnerable spots.

I am inclined to believe that though Flynn is a 185 pound man and much smaller in every way than Johnson and hopelessly out of reach of the champ's head, his boring tactics may bring him something better than a good drubbing. Not that I am tipping Flynn to win. But if Johnson's lack of condition and overconfidence are of the same variety as those displayed by former champs he may wake up on the fifth to dig through the Diamond Joe pack. Every champ that has been roped in and properly branded by a later champ, has met defeat for the same weaknesses of which Johnson is guilty here in Las Vegas.

One of His Few Joys.
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CHICAGOANS GO SOUTH

BUSINESS OF WINDY CITY IS BECOMING INTERESTED IN OPPORTUNITIES IN SOUTH AMERICA.

CHICAGO, July 4.—The business horizon of Chicago is extending rapidly southward as one result of the Panama canal construction, several large delegations of manufacturers and merchants which went to inspect the canal thus gaining a personal knowledge of business and social conditions in Pan-America. The awakening has spurred both commerce and investments. The packing interests began investing in packing houses in Argentine several years ago and now their interests are enormous. The coffee and rubber exports of Brazil have attracted many millions to that country and recently Murdo Mackenzie, for years head of the American Stock Growers' association, bought and stocked an empire in Brazil. Now a syndicate from Chicago is going to build a new city, capital of one of the federated states of Brazil, and in the process are expected to profit enormously from the franchises and real estate operations. C. B. Holmes, formerly president of the Chicago City Railway Co. and head of W. R. Holton of Chicago, and a mining expert will leave for Brazil to prepare estimates and reports on which several thousand acres will be planted, graded and paved. The city is in the heart of the diamond district and it is said that in the adjacent counties the known deposits of diamonds and other gems amount to over \$100,000,000. Three railways, it is said, are now building to this terminus. In spite of the disturbed conditions in Mexico, it is said that there are more purchases than sales of Mexican properties, particularly in the southern states which are outside of the terrorized districts. American buyers of mahogany and other hard woods recently have made large investments in Central America.

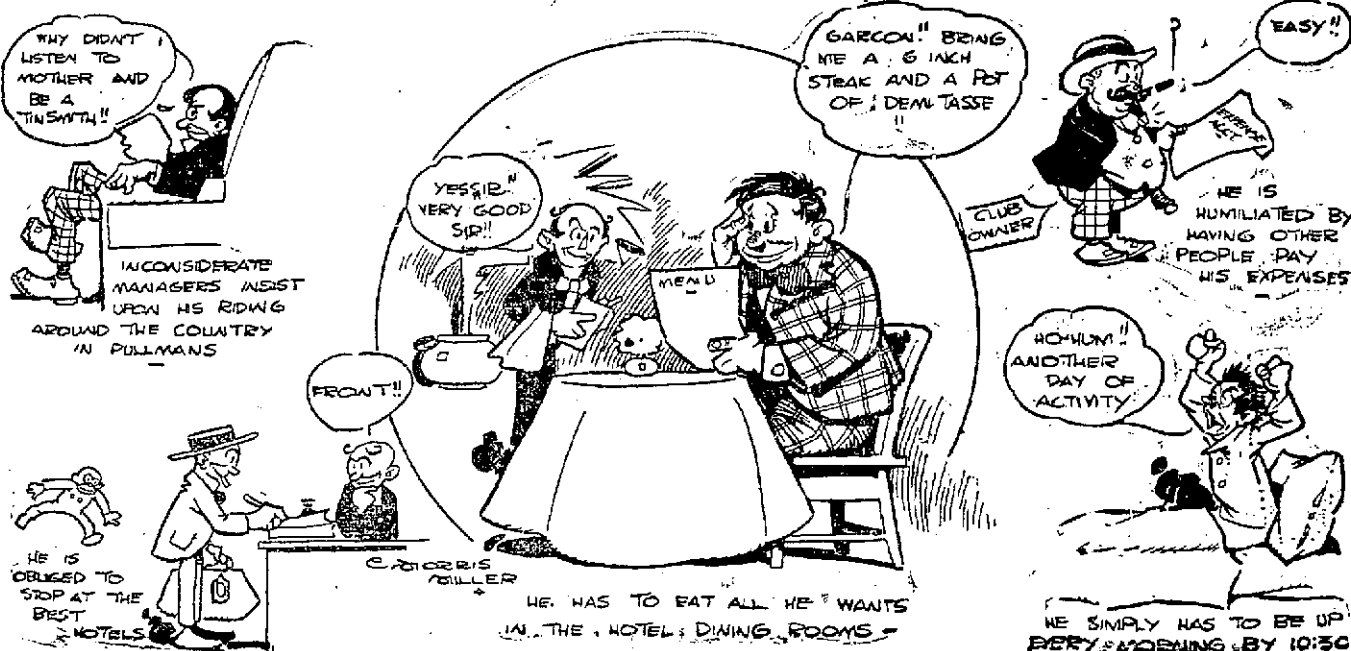
STENOGRAPHERS TO MEET.

WASHINGTON, July 5.—What is tachygraphy? is a query that popped into the minds of many of those who read a notice given out recently by a government department. It was to the effect: "The Spanish Minister at Washington announces that the Tenth International Congress on Tachygraphy, organized by the Spanish Tachygraphic Federation, will be held at Madrid, September 26, to October 2, 1912. An invitation is extended to the stenographers of the United States to take part in this congress."

Artificial Hair Saved Life.

The way in which her hair was dressed was all that saved the life of an Indianapolis woman the other day. She was walking along a residential street, when an alarm clock fell out of a window in the upper story of a house, and struck her on the head.

PITY THE POOR BALL PLAYER—HIS IS AN UNHAPPY ROLE



The Coffee Can Is Becoming A Sensitive Subject

A couple of years ago one could get a pound of fairly decent coffee for from 15 to 25 cts. Now that same coffee costs from 25 cts. to 45 cts. per pound and a further raise of ten cents is in prospect.

"There's a Reason"

Four years ago Brazil found that in spite of the fact that it was producing over 90 per cent of the coffee consumed in the United States, its rich planters were not squeezing as much money out of Americans as they could and the Brazilian government was not receiving enough revenue from a product that was one of that country's chiefest products.

And so Brazil determined to levy tribute upon rich and prosperous America even as the British taxed our tea in olden days; only this modern type of piracy was engineered and executed in a kid glove way.

Certain foreign capitalists (German, English and others) were called into consultation. They devised a scheme called "valorization." They started by buncoling our American Congress into removing the import tax on coffee, and that done Brazil immediately transferred the income to its own treasury by imposing an export tax. This was followed by perfecting a system whereby the Brazilian government could control the output and the price of coffee.

The net result has been that Brazil for the last three years has sold just what grades of coffee it wanted to sell, at any price it chose to fix; and in consequence the Brazilian government has shared with a syndicate of foreign money kings a profit of Hundreds of Millions of Dollars, every cent of which has come from the pockets of the American People.

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It isn't every politician who can nail a lie without smashing his fingers.

HIS SYMPATHIES WITH ELK

Somewhat Natural, Since Animal Rescued Engineer From Extremely Awkward Position.

A curious story of adventure comes from Montana. While a freight train was lying over at a small mountain station, the engineer borrowed a shotgun and started out for a short hunt. Finding nothing, he was returning to the train when a cow came running at him, and before he realized his danger, she tossed him in the air. Getting to his feet as quickly as possible, he dodged behind a tree, and then, to his dismay, found that the gun barrel was bent so as to be useless. The next ten minutes were very lively ones, while the cow chased the engineer round and round the tree. Just when he was about to succumb from fatigue, an angry snort was heard, and a big elk appeared upon the scene, head down and prepared for a fight. So was the cow, and in another moment the two animals dashed at each other. The engineer watched the combat for a few minutes, until prudence suggested that he should make a retreat as soon as he could. He regained the train in safety, and never knew the outcome of the battle, but he hopes the elk was the victor.

Why You Sigh.

When anyone sighs unconsciously it means they have been taking short breaths and not drawing sufficient oxygen into the lungs. Finally, the lungs must have more oxygen, they are hungry for it, and so the lungs exert their right and actually force you to take in a great breath of air. This gives them the needed oxygen, and they can go on with their work for a while longer, when they will force another "sigh," which is in reality helping themselves to more oxygen in spite of yourself.

At Bottom of Great Problem.

People are coming more and more to recognize that the industrial problem lies at the bottom of many others.

THE DAILY MARKETS

(Quoted by John C. Burns)

Oranges, Cal., 150-216 \$3.50
Oranges, 250-288 brand \$3.25
Lemons, 300-360 box \$5 to \$5.50
Bananas, bunch \$1.25-1.75
Walnut dates, box \$1.20
Persian dates, per pound 5 1/2 c
Pineapples, Florida, crate \$3.50
Onions, yellow, per crate \$1.50
Onions, Crystal Wax, crate \$1.60
Cabbage, large crate \$3.00
Messina lemons, box \$5.00
Watermelons 20 to 25 c
Peaches, bushel \$2.50
Plums, bushel \$2.50
Peaches, 4 basket crate \$1.25
Potatoes, old, bushel \$1.10
Potatoes, new, bushel \$1.10
Cantaloupes, crate \$5.00

Livestock

(By Langdon & Boyd Packing Co.)

Hogs \$8.50 to \$7.10
Steers \$8.00 to \$5.50
Spring lambs \$7.00
Sheep \$3.00
Cows \$2.00 to \$1.50
Heifers \$2.50 to \$1.75

Poultry

Chickens 12 to 13 c
Turkeys, pound 12 to 14 c
Ducks, pound 11 c
Geese, pound 9 c

Provisions

Lard, per pound 12 to 12 1/2 c
Shoulders, per pound 11 c
Hams, per pound 14 1/2 to 15 1/2 c
Bacon, per pound 14 1/2 to 78 c
Dry beef, per pound 17 to 20 c

Butter and Eggs

(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery butter, pound 25 to 27 c
Dairy butter, pound 22 to 24 c
Eggs, fresh, dozen 18 c
Eggs, seconds, dozen 15 c

Flour and Feed

(Quoted by the Listman Milling Co.)

Patent, barrel \$6.10
Straight, barrel \$5.90

Grain

(Quoted by Thomas-Phalen Co.)

Barley 70 to 90 c
Corn 65 to 73 c
Oats 50 to 65 c
Wheat 90 c to \$1.05
Rye 75 to 78 c

(Prices do not include sacks)

Bran, per ton \$25.00
Shorts \$28.00
White middlings, per ton \$29.00
Red Dog \$30.00

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Cheese

(Quoted by Hy. Andereggs)

Fancy full Cream Brick Cheese, in cases 14 c
Fancy full Cream Brick Cheese, in half cases 14 1/2 c
Fancy full Cream Twins 15 1/2 c
Fancy full Cream Limburger 17 c
Fancy full Cream Swiss round 22 c
Fancy full Cream Swiss Block (old) 22 c
German Hand Cheese, per box 90 c
Primost, per pound 7 c

Delicate Scales.

In the personal laboratory of Sir William Ramsay, at University college, London, is a new pair of scales so delicately adjusted that they will weigh a seven-millionth part of an ounce. The room is in semi-darkness. So delicate are these wonderful scales that their balance is disturbed by the alteration of temperature caused by the turning on of an electric light at the other end of the room. The operator has to leave them for an hour in darkness after he has tipped from the room so that his footfall should not set up any vibration—and then read them swiftly before any change in the temperature has had time to affect them. The scales, only a few inches long, appears a mere cobweb of glass with its frail supports. It is not made of glass, however, explains Sir William, but of silica, which expands and contracts under the effect of heat far less than glass. If a fight is a draw both sides are pretty apt to claim a victory.

SLEDS USED IN THE YUKON

Not Constructed Along Lines of Beauty, but for Hard Work They Are Perfection.

The Yukon sled, while not a thing of beauty, is built to stand all kinds of hard wear, or, as the Irishman said, "it will last forever, and after that can be used for firewood." The sled is about eight feet long, is made of any kind of hard wood, lies close to the ground, costs from \$10 to \$14, and makes a trail sixteen inches in width. Another pattern is known as the basket sleigh, and it is to the Yukon sleigh what a three-masted schooner is to a coal barge. In length it is from eight to fifteen feet, is made of birch, oak or hickory, cuts a trail twenty-two inches in width, costs from \$40 to \$200, is raised a foot or more from the runners, and, in the best examples, is lashed together with rawhide. The basket sleigh, as its name implies, is fitted with a basket, into which the load is placed, and from the back of the basket a pair of handles project, to be used in guiding the sled on the trail. It often happens that a Yukon sled will be fitted with a home-made basket, in imitation of its more aristocratic brother. In very cold weather wooden runners are best, but in ordinary circumstances steel or brass runners are used. Wide World Magazine.

As the Cohn.

Inquires a paragraph who is just beginning to dip into the joys (though he doesn't call them that) of Dickens: "We have trailed Nicholas Nickleby to the point where he has joined a theatrical company. Is it worth while following the scent further?" In this case, friend, it isn't a scent; it's a nickel.

If a woman's prayers were always answered, it's a safe bet she would always look young.

HOMEWARD BOUND.

SLAUGHTER SALE OF WASH GOODS

We sometimes do radical things—this is one of them. As a rule, business takes a decided slump right after the Fourth of July, but our dress goods manager proposes to make Friday and Saturday of this week two banner days in his department. With this end in view he's going to put absurdly low prices on several lots of wash materials, and he's going to do it, too, at a time when his stock is in the pink of condition. Remember this is not a clean-up—no, it's simply a determined effort to make Friday and Saturday RECORD BREAKERS in dress goods.

CHOICE LAWNS

Thousands of yards, season's choicest lawns, in desirable white grounds, pink grounds, light blue grounds and navy grounds, showing striking effects in polka dots, rose bud, or floral designs, of pink, blue, helio and white combinations. Priced at choice per yard for this sale at only

37⁸/₈C

Serpentine Crepes

Unlimited range of pretty patterns and colors to choose from, also plain shades, including white. Especially desirable for kimonas, dressing saques, etc. Quality that sold regularly at 20c—priced for this sale at per yard

11c

Lawns, Batistes, DIMITIES, Novelty Swisses

Our entire stock of sheer materials, lawns, batistes, dimities, and novelty swisses—in fact, everything suitable for a cool summer dress, will be found in this lot of light and dark grounds, with or without side bands. Owing to the backwardness of the season this year our stock is unusually complete, and the range of pretty and attractive patterns in this assortment unlimited. All 15c, 20c and 25c grades per yard, at this clearing sale, per yard

10c

Our Entire Stock GINGHAMS 17¹/₂C

Nothing reserved—our entire stock, presenting an assemblage of finest imported gingham, larger than all the other stores in this city combined. Every conceivable color, neat check, elaborate and broken plaids. Values range to 50c, not a piece worth less than 35c per yard. Choice of the entire lot, this sale, at per yard

17¹/₂C

"Fred Butterfield's" Chiffon Lisse

Choice an immense assortment this—the season's most wanted sheer fabric, "Fred Butterfield's" Chiffon Lisse. This lot is not made up of short lengths, or odds and ends, but dozens of full, fresh and clean bolts, showing newest and most desirable colors and patterns, in neat stripes, checks and dots. In addition to this we shall add other Volles, worth up to 50c, choice of any only, at per yard

25c

English Zephyrs

Per Yard 12¹/₂C

Choice one big assortment fine 42 inch wide English zephyrs, in plain shades, neat stripes and small or medium checks. Also the different widths nurse stripes. All worth 25c yard; for this sale, yard

12¹/₂C

Irish DIMITIES

Per Yard 15c

Our entire stock about 50 pieces genuine Belfast Irish dimities, very finest made; exclusive designs and colorings; every yard selling at 35c. Specially priced for this sale at per yard

15c

BASEMENT SPECIALS!

AXLE GREASE

Nica axle grease in wood boxes, regular 5c size, each at

3c

Wire Coat Hangers

Heavy coppered wire coat hangers, each

1c

OIL CANS

1 gallon tin oil cans, worth 15c, each

5c

CLOTHES PINS

12 well made hardwood clothes pins, for

1c

TOOTH PICKS

1,500 hardwood tooth picks in large box, for

2c

DINNER SETS

40 piece dinner sets, fancy gold band, finest quality American semi-porcelain, consisting of the following pieces: 6 tea cups and saucers; 6 7-inch plates; 6 5-inch plates; 6 4-inch fruit dishes; 6 butter chips; 1 vegetable dish; 1 9-inch platter; 1 creamer, and 1 sugar; regular value \$4.50, for this sale at

\$2.48

DRESSES

Choice of our stock women's summer dresses, selling regularly to \$20.00, Friday and Saturday—

\$7.99

SUITS

Choice of our stock, 40 women's navy, black and white serge suits, values to \$35.00. Friday and Saturday—

\$7.99

COATS

Choice of our stock, 25 coats, silks, serges and mixtures, selling regularly to \$20.00, Friday and Saturday—

\$7.99



Ready-to-Wear Section
Second Floor



BASEMENT SPECIALS!

Star Cut TUMBLERS

Bell and straight shape star cut tumblers. These are all hand cut on blown glass and are worth 15c, while they last, each

6c

PUDDING PANS

6 dozen triple coated blue and white enameled pudding and baking pans, 4 quart size, regular value 25c, while they last, each

10c

WASH BASINS

Large size triple coated wash basins, blue and white, never sold for less than 25c, at each

15c

BROOMS

50 dozen first quality 4-sewed brooms, made of fine grade broom straw, all union made, worth 35c each, at

21c

Preserve Kettles

3 quart heavy grey enameled preserve kettles with heavy ball, worth 15c each, at

5c

DOERFLINGERS

WILL TOUR FROM LAKES TO GULF

1912 Glidden Reliability Run Will Be from Detroit South to New Orleans

EARLY IN OCTOBER IS DATE

Definite Date of Run Not Set, but Will Be in Fall; Plan a Panama Trip

From the Great Lakes to the Gulf of Mexico will be the route of the 1912 A. A. A. national reliability tour for the Glidden, Anderson and A. A. A. trophies. Some fifteen hundred miles will be covered between the city of the straits and the Crescent City, and while the concluding part of the journey will be from Memphis to New Orleans, the itinerary of the northern section has not been decided upon by the special committee in charge. This committee includes Colonel Frank M. Joyce of Minneapolis, Lewis S. Spear of Boston, John A. Wilson of Franklin, Pa., W. E. Metzger of Detroit, and W. Moyer of Des Moines. Mr. Wilson represented the committee as its emissary to various cities, including Indianapolis and Detroit, and the selection of the greatest city in the world, from the automobile manufacturing standpoint, came about through the combined activities of the Wolverine Automobile club, Chamber of Commerce, and Dealers' association, in which A. W. Porter, W. E. Metzger and F. E. Spooner played a prominent part.

Indianapolis a Stop
Though Detroit secured the plum, it is among the possibilities, that Indianapolis, another of the important automobile manufacturing cities, will serve as a night stop of the big cavalcade, which promises to outdo in point of interest any similar event ever held in this country. If it had been possible geographically to have done so, the committee would have included Cleveland, which is the remaining one of the three cities which supply nine-tenths of the self propelled vehicles made in the United States.

In the planning of the details of the tour, President Robert F. Hooper of the American Automobile association asked Dr. C. E. Burton of Minneapolis to serve as vice chairman of the touring information board which this year will have the event in charge. Dr. Burton has had a wide spread experience in touring competitions, is president of the Minnesota State Automobile association, and last year served as the referee of the state association run from the Twin cities to Helena, Mont.

The pathfinding trip may not take place for several weeks owing to the conditions of the roads, especially in Louisiana. There is pronounced striving for the honor of laying out the route of the "Lakes to Gulf" tour, which will be covered in detail, and will be added to the national routes which the A. A. A. touring bureau is gradually extending in its covering of the entire country.

Early in October
The date of the tour is not decided, but early in October seems to be generally preferred, and a rough estimate of the time consumed will be not more than ten days, including a Sunday stop in a city capable of carrying for the party comfortably. Entertainment will be generous from the beginning to the end, and Detroit intends to outdo herself in hospitality. There will be opportunity of visiting the large automobile plants, as well as of enjoying the improved roads which are being constructed in Wayne county. It goes without saying that the Hoosier Motor club, in case Indianapolis is visited, will extend a hearty welcome, along with other local organizations. Memphis is one of the most progressive cities of the south, and may be counted upon to make the stopover there particularly enjoyable. Of course, it goes without saying, that New Orleans will make the visitors feel thoroughly at home. The Crescent city has an atmosphere distinctly its own, from coffee drinking in the old French market to the lavish hospitality of St. Charles street. After the tour has had its satisfying finale in New Orleans, there will come for those who care to make it, a supplementary trip to the Isthmus of Panama, though the committee hesitates to advise taking automobiles there as yet, even though Uncle Sam is engaged in building a fine

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highway across the strip of land which divides the Atlantic from the Pacific. The tour, however, will give roads building an impetus through the country traversed.

PLAN CIVIL EXAMINATION

An examination for clerk and carrier will be held at the postoffice in this city on November 6, 1912. Age limit, 18 to 45 years, on the date of the examination.

Married women will not be admitted to the examination. This prohibition, however, does not apply to women who are divorced or those who are separated from their husbands and support themselves, but they are eligible for appointment only as clerk.

Applicants must be physically sound, and male applicants must be not less than 5 feet 4 inches in height without boots or shoes, and weigh not less than 125 pounds without overcoat or hat.

For application blanks and for full information relative to the examination, qualifications, duties, salaries, vacations, promotions, etc., address immediately, Oscar F. Paulson, Secretary Board of Civil Service Examiners, Postoffice, La Crosse, Wis.

To Loosen Window.
To loosen windows that move hard, melt a tablespoonful of lard and pour a little between the window frame and casing, and on the roller and rope. It works well, says Suburban Life, and is a good thing to know in the spring time, when frames are swollen from being closed all winter.

Test of Success.
If every day we can feel, if only for a moment, the elation of being alive, the realization of being our best selves, of filling our destined scope and trend, you may be sure that we are succeeding.—Bliss Carman.

Economy.
One thrifty woman spent a day darning a pillow-slip that was a mass of rips, because, she explained, "It was such a pity to waste the hem."

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

State of Wisconsin.—In Probate—La Crosse County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Bernard Walter Boivert, late of the City of La Crosse, in said county, deceased.
Letters of administration in said matter having been granted to Charles H. Schweizer, of La Crosse, Wisconsin, notice is hereby given that six months after the eleventh day of June, A. D. 1912, are allowed to creditors to present their claims against said deceased for examination and allowance; and that said Court will on the seventh day of January, A. D. 1913, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of said Court in the City of La Crosse, in said County, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased. Dated this eleventh day of June, 1912.

By the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.
McCONNELL & SCHWEIZER,
Attorneys.

Old Country GREEN SOAP

MILWAUKEEAN IS JAILED
DENVER, Colo., July 4.—Enter-

ing a plea of guilty on the charge of impersonating a postoffice inspector at Greeley, Col., to obtain groceries to keep from starving. Theodore Miller of Milwaukee, today was sentenced to serve 15 months in the

federal prison at Leavenworth, Kas. The international institute of agriculture, Rome, Italy, estimates the production of corn in Argentina this season at 255,854 bushels.

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BEN WINS A HUNDRED BUCKS AND == LOSES IT!

BY HARRY DALLY

